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2024 MADISON REGATTA



Crew members of the U-91 Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison celebrate the team's win Sunday in the Indiana Governor's Cup championship heat at Madison. Driver Andrew Tate has now won both H1 Unlimited races in 2024 and taken over the national high points lead.

David Campbell



A fan celebrates as other spectators gather close to the waterfront to watch the Governor's Cup races on the Ohio River at the 2024 Madison Regatta.

Taylor Owen



Blackberry Smoke lead guitar and vocalist Charlie Starr jams during the 2024 Roostertail Music Festival.

Taylor Owen



A burst of fireworks over the Ohio River Saturday night at the Madison Regatta fireworks spectacular.

Taylor Owen



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4-H Fair begins annual run

BY THE COURIER STAFF

The 2024 Jefferson County 4-H Fair is underway this week after beginning on Saturday and running through the end of this week.

While most events will end Friday, the midway rides by Poor Jack Amusements will carry on through Saturday from 6 p.m. to 11 p.m. daily.

Grandstand events coming up include the Bull Bash, presented by the organizers of the Madison Rodeo, on Thursday; and the Demolition Derby on Friday. Also, the horse pull is scheduled for Tuesday and the car race is set for Wednesday. All grandstand events begin at 7 p.m. Monday's grandstand event was the bus demolition race.

Events this week in the Pavilion, also all starting at 7 p.m., include Southern Indiana Cloggers on Tuesday, Taylor's Tae Kwon Do Academy on Wednesday, Dance-Ability on Thursday and Country Kickers Line Dancing on Friday. On Monday, Michael Farmer performed.

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David Campbell

Indiana Governor Eric Holcomb extends a handshake to Andrew Tate during Sunday's Madison Regatta and Indiana Governor's Cup race. Holcomb, a Regatta fan and regular at the Governor's Cup race during his terms in office, was attending his final race as governor before leaving office in January.

Holcomb presents Governor's Cup for the last time

BY BOB DEMAREE

For Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb, who will finish his second and final term in office in seven months, Sunday was the last time that he'll present the Indiana Governor's Cup at the Madison Regatta but he promises he'll be back.

"I've been coming to Jefferson County and Madison for decades," said Holcomb, a 1990 graduate of Hanover College. "I not only have to be here for a Governor's Cup; at least I think I should be here to hand out the Governor's Cup, but I want to, and it's because of how special this place is," even as he added there are many other special places throughout the State of Indiana.

"Madison is a crown jewel for this state. I won't wait for an invitation" to come back to Madison, Holcomb said.

"I will be coming back here on my own because I enjoy it."

Standing from atop of the Super Overlook that serves as the judge's stand during the Madison Regatta, Holcomb said, "This is almost therapeutic to me — the view here, something about the water" in looking out at the Ohio River. Holcomb said he's impressed with how Madison has worked to preserve history while keeping with the times as a contemporary city. "You have such a rich heritage but always forward looking. How can we share the Madison success story from a community perspective but also from a state perspective, and believe me, that's an easy sell if I can get in front of an audience. I can sell Madison all day long."

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OBITUARIES

Margaret Gray

Margaret Gray, 91, of Brookfield, WI, passed away May 4, 2024. She was born June 4, 1932, in Jefferson County, IN, one of eight children of Albert and Callamatta Ditzler Manaugh.

Margaret was a 1950 graduate of Hanover High School in Hanover, IN. In 1952, she moved to Connersville, IN. Over her years in Connersville, she was employed at American Kitchens, Dresser Industries, and Connersville Junior High School, where she worked for more than 20 years, retiring in 1994. For more than 50 years, Margaret was an active member of Grace Community Church.

On September 13, 1963, Margaret was married to Harold Gray. They have two children, Ellen (Jeff) Mass, of Brookfield, WI, and Tim (Katie) Gray, of Hugo, MN.

Margaret is survived by her children; her grandchildren, Jackson Gray of Apple Valley, MN, Tatum Gray of Shoreview, MN, and Brianna Mass and Emme Mass of Brookfield, WI; two sisters, Marilyn Kleopfer of Madison, IN, and Karen Todd of Hanover, IN; a brother, Robert (Therese) Manaugh of Brandon, FL; two sisters-in-law, Lydia Manaugh of Hillsboro,



OH, and Charlene Manaugh of Madison, IN; and many nieces, nephews, and cousins. Margaret was preceded in death by her husband; her parents; three brothers, Jim Manaugh, Dick Manaugh, and Jack Adams; two brothers-in-law, Dutch Kleopfer and Melvin Adams; a sister-in-law, Elaine “Cookie” Manaugh; two nephews, Dean Manaugh and Skip Manaugh; and a niece, Pam Alexander.

The family would like to express gratitude to Margaret’s wonderful caretakers at Lakewood Memory Care in Brookfield, Wisconsin. Their love and expertise was evident throughout the months they cared for her.

A Celebration of Life was held on June 8th in Connersville, IN, at the Grace Community Church.

June Uetta Bear Ritchie

June Uetta Bear Ritchie, age 94, of Madison, IN, entered this life on December 7, 1929, in Jefferson County, IN, to the late Irven Tyrus and Jessie Pearl Jackson Bear. June died on Friday, July 5, 2024, at 3:22 p.m. at the Norton King’s Daughters’ Hospital in Madison, IN.

June will be missed by her loving sons, Dorrell Frederick Ritchie, Sr. and his wife, Debra of King George, VA, Barry Luke Ritchie and his wife Shannon of Madison, IN; her grandchildren, Chasity, Shantell, Brandy, Stacy, Shelby, Lyndsey and Dorrell, Jr.; her great grandchildren, Lexis, Aidan, Charlee, Adysynn, Heather, Trishell, Maliki, Ezekkial, Heather, Nathaniel, Wyatt, Scarlett, Clara, Vaida, Harry, and Hudson ; her sister in law, Gwendolyn Kay Law and her husband, Billy of Madison, IN; her sister i n law, Patti Ritchie of Hanover, IN; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives. She was preceded in death by her father, Irven Tyrus Bear; her mother, Jessie Pearl Jackson Bear; her sister,

Cleo “Key” Bear Gayle; her grandsons, Darrell F. Ritchie, died at birth and Dorrell Kenneth “Eddie” Ritchie; her beloved husband of 63 years, Charles Frederick ‘Charlie’ Ritchie, died May 30, 2015.

Funeral services will be conducted on Friday, July 12, 2024, at 11 a.m., by Pastor Troy Hedges at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the Dupont Cemetery in Dupont, IN.

Friends may visit Thursday, July 11, 2024, from 4— 7 p.m. and Friday, July 12, 2024 from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Dupont Cemetery or the Wirt Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

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NEWS OF RECORD

JEFFERSON COUNTY CRIMINAL JUSTICE CENTER

LODGINGS July 4, 2024

Mathys Cole Cutter, 21, Madison, for Domestic Battery, a Level 5 felony; Strangulation-Pregnant Victim, a Level 6 felony; and Criminal Confinement, a Class A misdemeanor. Bond \$10,000 cash.

Olivia Dee Gayle, 25, Commiskey, Indiana, for Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated, a Class A misdemeanor; and Battery, a Class B misdemeanor. Bond \$1,000 cash.

July 5, 2024

Dakota Sebastian Austin, 31, Madison, for Battery, a Class A misdemeanor; and Disorderly Conduct and Public Intoxication Alcohol/Drugs, both Class B misdemeanors. No bond.

Eden Michelle Jacquart, 36, Madison, for Communication Intimidation, a Level 5 felony; Battery, a Cass A misdemeanor; and Disorderly Conduct, a Class B misdemeanor. No bond.

Devin Nicholas Mossey, 24, Madison, to serve 14 days jail consecutive on a court-ordered sentence. No bond.

July 6, 2024

Jacob Lee Curran, 30, Madison, on warrants to hold for Dearborn County (operating while intoxicated- prior conviction, criminal

recklessness with a deadly weapon and resisting law enforcement-obstruction). No bond.

Mario Diaz, 23, no address, for Bribery, a Level 5 felony; Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor;and Operating a Vehicle While Intoxicated, a Class C misdemeanor. No bond.

Anastasia D. Roberts, 41, Dupont, Indiana, on a warrant for failure to appear (operating a vehicle without a license). Bond \$500 cash.

July 7, 2024

Kendall Marie Ulen, 36, Madison, for Criminal Trespass, a Class A misdemeanor; and Public Intoxication Alcohol/Drugs, a Class B misdemeanor. No bond.

Santos Elias Zavala Flores, 28, no address, for Domestic Battery-2 Counts, both Level 6 felonies. No bond.

JEFFERSON COUNTY CIRCUIT & SUPERIOR COURT

SENTENCINGS July 3, 2024

Devon James Floyd, 31, Madison, to an amended charge of Domestic Battery, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days jail with credit for 8 days served and 357 days suspended to supervised probation plus \$539 in fees and court costs.

Ashley Marie Leonard, 36, Hanover, to amended charges

of Unlawful Possession of Legend Drug, a Level 6 Felony; and Possession of a Controlled substance, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 545 days at Indiana Department of Correction on the felony, all suspended to supervised probation, consecutive to 365 on the misdemeanor with credit for 10 days served and balance suspended to supervised probation plus \$989 in fees and court costs.

Frank Christopher Rush, 42, Madison, to an amended charges of Possession of Marijuana, a Class B misdemeanor. Sentenced to 180 days jail with credit for 4 days served and 176 days suspended to supervised probation plus \$889 in fees and court costs.

Brittany Delayne Hormann, 35, Lexington, Indiana, to an amended charges of Theft and Possession of Methamphetamine, both Level 6 felonies. Sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction on each count, concurrent, with credit for 170 days served plus \$789 in fees and court costs.

Darron Allen Storie, 33, Henryville, Indiana, to amended charges of Possession of Methamphetamine, a Level 6 felony; and Resisting Law Enforcement, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 365 days at Indiana Department of Correction on the felony, all suspended

to supervised probation; consecutive to 154 days jail on the misdemeanor, served, plus \$989 in fees and court costs.

Paige Leann Edwards, 24, Madison, to an amended charge of Battery, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 360 days jail with credit for 6 days served and 354 days suspended to supervised probation plus \$389 in fees and court costs.

July 5, 2024

Christopher D. Gibson, 24, Florence, Kentucky, to an amended charge of Invasion of Privacy, a Class A misdemeanor. Sentenced to 18 days to jail, served, but consecutive to 22 days jail for Possession of Paraphernalia, a Class C misdemeanor, plus \$289 in fees and court costs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

JEFFERSON COUNTY July 3, 2024

Zackary Shelton and Lindsay N. Shelton to Amber Finnegan and Richard Finnegan, 2507 Poplar Ridge Lane, Madison.

Juny 5, 2024

Gary McGinnis to Alvin Alexi Betancourt, approximately 4 acres at 1730 South 630 West, Hanover.

Roger L. Sweet (revocable trust) and Deanna Sweet-Boudreau (trustee) to Zackary thomas Shelton and Lindsay Nicole Shelto, approximately 85.7 acres at 1748 North 1100 West, Deputy.

Ashcraft takes over as new director of iLEAD Academy

Has background in education, environmental science

BY TAYLOR WILLIAMS PAXTON MEDIA GROUP

Carrollton’s iLead Academy will be under new leadership this fall as Katie Ashcraft takes over as director of the five county regional career program.

Ashcraft, born and raised in Lawrenceburg, Kentucky, has experience in education, school counseling and environmental science, all skill sets very similar to how iLead integrates education with work skills to prepare students for careers and college. She takes over for Jenna Gray, who stepped down as iLead director after the 2023-24 school year.

Ashcraft has 15 years experience in the environmental field having worked as a senior environmental scientist and project manager for Lee Engineering, as an environmental enforcement specialist at Kentucky’s Division of Waste Man-

agement and the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, and as an investigator for Kentucky’s Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Cabinet Office of Inspector General.

She also has a background in education, teaching high school chemistry and biology for more than eight years at Owen County High School and working as a high school counselor and dual credit coordinator at Great Crossing High School in Scott County four years.

Ashcraft said she has been aware of iLEAD since the program began 10 years ago when she was still working at Owen County High School, noting she was “very interested in its beginning” and especially after hearing from teachers who had students attend the academy. She also “served on several committees where I was in contact with ... some of the early visionaries.”

“I actually thought about applying as a science teacher,” she added.

Former director Gray is a family friend and Ashcraft’s husband, John Ashcraft, teaches engineering at the academy, so when the director’s position came open she heard about it from multiple sources.

She noted that through her husband she already had an understanding of the academy from a teacher’s perspective and Gray provided insight on the duties as director.

“We talked about whether or not this might be a good place for me and a good fit,” she noted.

The more they discussed the position, Ashcraft was able to see the inner workings of the academy, including the collaboration between the academy and administrators in the five school districts — Henry, Trimble, Carroll, Gallatin and Owen — the iLead Academy serves and how the academy bridges high school, college and careers.

“I really love college and career counseling as well, and that’s a huge part of the services that iLEAD provides,” she said. “And I’m very interested in CTE (Career and

Technical Education) ... which is very much what iLEAD is.”

Ashcraft’s first official day as director was July 1, but she’s actually been preparing for that start since June 7, by meeting the people, figuring out schedules, and determining everything she needs to accomplish before the first day of school on Wednesday, Aug. 14.

She also wants to visit each of the five school districts before school starts and meet everyone she can there, especially staff members in the central offices and counseling to “hear what their iLead experiences have been — what’s been great, what’s maybe been a pain point here or there, and just move forward from there.”

Ashcraft said her task as iLead director is to make sure that everything runs well during the 2024-2025 school year and that “all the things that are in place continue to run well.”

She also wants to work with the superintendents in the five school districts and “really collaborate with them” to determine what the regional career academy can look like in the future.

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Katie Ashcraft

WEATHER

Sunrise: 6:24 a.m.
Sunset: 9:10 p.m.
Temperature: High 91, Low 65, Mean 78.5, Excess 4.1
Precipitation since last published: 0.80
Precipitation, July 2024: 1.16
Precipitation, 2024: 20.39

Barometer: 30.01, Falling
River Level at Clifty Creek: 421.8, Steady
Forecast: Wednesday: Showers High 79/Low 63; Thursday: Mostly sunny High 85/Low 65; Friday: Mostly sunny High 89/ Low 66.

LOTTERY

INDIANA
Hoosier Lotto: 5-16-31-33-39-43 (7/6). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$16.8 million. Next Drawing (7/10).
Cash Five: 10-21-23-28-42 (7/7).
Cash 4 Life: 3-9-30-47-49 CB: 1 (7/7)
KENTUCKY
Cash Ball: 6-7-11-12 CB 25 (7/7)
Kentucky 5 Extra: 11-12-13-15-23 (7/7).

Lucky For Life: 7-13-15-30-34 LB: 4 (7/7)
MEGAMILLIONS: 6-15-32-54-67 MB: 4, MP 3 (7/5). Next Jackpot: \$181 million. Next Drawing (7/9)
POWERBALL: 5-32-35-39-49 PB: 21, PP 2 (7/6). Next Estimated Jackpot: \$29 million. Next Drawing (7/8)
POWERBALL DOUBLE PLAY: 22-27-52-62-69 PB: 4 (7/6). Next Estimated Jackpot: Up to \$10 million. Next Drawing (7/8)

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BIRTHDAYS

Editor’s Note: Got a birthday or anniversary coming up? Send name, date and number of years (optional) to zelda@madisoncourier.com or call 812-265-3641. Please leave your name and phone number in case we have followup questions.

JULY 10
Betty Demaree

JULY 13
Kristin Beck

JULY 15
Julie Townsend

JULY 16
Christian Cull

JULY 18
Denny Jackson
Kenneth Van Wye

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OBITUARIES

Donald ‘Bud’ Robert Cash



Donald “Bud” Robert Cash, age 82, affectionately known as Bud or Don to his family and friends, who resided in the Thompson Road community of rural Jefferson County, IN, near Volga, entered this life on October 24, 1941, in Madison, IN. He was the cherished son of the late Robert L. “Bob” and Virginia L. Sprong Cash. Raised in the Hopewell community, Bud’s life was marked by his deep-rooted connections to family and faith.

On June 20, 1960, he married the love of his life, Dorothy Lois Lichlyter, and together they built a loving home, blessed with two wonderful children, Mark and Denise. Bud’s professional journey began at Butler Dairy in Madison, IN, and spanned various industries, including Cummins Engines, Robus Leather, Reliance Electric, and Rockwell-Baldor, from which he retired. Alongside Dorothy, he also successfully owned and operated Cash’s Discount Center for nine years in Hanover, IN. A lifelong farmer, Bud took great pleasure in cultivating and selling produce, often seen sharing his bounty at the local farmer’s market.

His passion for nature was evident in his love for exploring creeks and caves, canoeing, and hunting mushrooms and deer. Fishing, collecting hats, playing poker, and euchre, reading, and watching old westerns were among his many hobbies. Bud’s devotion to his family was unwavering. He found immense joy in family dinners and was a dedicated supporter of his grandchildren, attending their numerous sporting events with pride. A man of strong faith, Bud held a long-standing connection with Hopewell Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon for the past 20 years, exemplifying his commitment to his community and his beliefs. His legacy of love, hard work, and faith will forever be remembered by all who had the privilege of knowing him.

Bud’s life was a testament to the values of family, faith, and community, and he will be deeply missed. Bud passed from this life on Wednesday, July 3, 2024, at 2:07 a.m. at the Norton Brownsboro Hospital in Louisville, KY, with his loving family at his side.

Bud will be missed by his loving wife of 64 years, Dorothy Lois Lichlyter Cash of Madison, IN; his loving son, Mark Cash and his wife, Tara of Madison, IN; his loving daughter, Denise Hackney of Madison, IN; his grandchildren, Krista Coles and her husband, Kody; Ryan Cash and his wife, Amberly; Jenna Gardner and her husband, Ben; Evan Hackney and his wife, Zoe; Annelise Hackney and her boyfriend, Tyler Hackney; his great grandchildren, Luke, Jake, Allie, Sawyer, Ashlynn, and Hallie; his sister , Laura Cash Boldery of Madison, IN; his brothers in law, Larry Weatherbee of Madison, IN, Steve Lewis and his wife, Shelly of Madison, IN; his sisters in law, Mary and Bill Mullikin of Madison, IN, Ruth and Merle Sedam of Madison, IN, Linda Phillips of Madison, IN, Diana Mathis of Madison, IN; numerous

nieces, nephews, and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Robert L. “Bob” Cash; his mother, Virginia L. Sprong Cash; his sister, Nancy Cash Lewis; his brothers in law and his sisters in law, Ronnie Phillips, Barbara Weatherbee, and Donald Lee “Curly” Boldery.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, July 11, 2024, at 3 p.m., by Pastor Steve Herald at the Hopewell Baptist Church 3078 North Thompson Road, Madison (Volga), IN. Interment will follow in the Grandview Memorial Gardens, 9306 North U.S. 421 near Madison, IN.

Friends may visit Wednesday, July 10, 2024, from 4 — 8 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive Madison, IN, and Thursday from 2 p.m. until the time of service at the Hopewell Baptist Church in Madison.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Hopewell Cemetery or the Hopewell Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover or at the church. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Peter Woodburn



Peter Woodburn, a devoted philanthropy consultant and passionate historic preservationist, passed away on Thursday, July 4, 2024, at Hillcrest Village in Jeffersonville, IN. He was 82. Born on January 19, 1942, in Columbus, IN, Peter was the loving son of the late Walter Frank and Jean Margaret Lewis Woodburn. Raised in Madison, IN, he graduated from Madison Consolidated High School in 1960 and went on to attend Indiana University in Bloomington from 1960 to 1965. During his college years, Peter managed the Indiana University Auditorium and worked as a professional model, showcasing his versatility and drive. His commitment to service led him to enlist in the United States Army on February 8, 1968, in Madison, where he served as a Specialist Five during the Vietnam War, receiving an honorable discharge for his dedication and service on September 12, 1969, at Fort Lewis, Washington. Upon his discharge Specialist Five Woodburn received the National Defense Service Medal, the Vietnam Campaign Medal, the Vietnam Service Medal, the Army Commendation Medal with two overseas bars and remained in the Reserves until being discharged on August 26, 1971. Peter’s professional life was marked by his leadership at Woodburn-Kyle and company, where he served as president and consultant to numerous hospitals, museums, libraries, and other non-profit organizations. His passion for community service extended to Christ Episcopal Church, where he played a pivotal role in organizing fundraising for windows and restoration campaigns. On June 11, 2016, Peter celebrated a significant personal milestone by entering a commitment ceremony with his longtime partner, Wayne Kyle, at the Red Bicycle Hall in downtown Madison. Their partnership was a testament to his dedication to love and companionship for 48 years. Peter’s contributions to the community were vast. He served as the vice chairman of the American Association of Fundraising Counsel, president of the Jefferson County Historical Society, and a member of the Indiana Arts Counsel. His instrumental role in revitalizing the Jefferson County Historical Society and restoring three historic properties underscored his commitment to preserving the past. As a member of Madison’s original historic board of review, he helped develop the city’s initial historic ordinance, ensuring the preservation of its unique heritage. Beyond his local efforts, Peter conducted impactful studies for the Madison Country Club and Conner Prairie and

many more. He was also instrumental in bringing innovative fundraising techniques from Giving USA in New York to the Indiana University School of Philanthropy. His expertise was further recognized through his service on the board of the Indiana State Museums. Peter’s diverse interests included singing, decorating, restoring, reading, cooking, traveling, art and collecting antiques. These passions brought joy and enrichment to his life and to those around him. Peter Woodburn’s life was a testament to service, love, and dedication to Madison. His legacy of philanthropy and preservation will continue to inspire and guide future generations.

Peter will be missed by his loving husband, Wayne Richard Kyle of Madison, IN; his sister, Mary Jean Woodburn and her husband Vince Johnson of Vernon, Vermont; his nieces, Julie J. Thevenow Hall of Madison, IN, Laura L. Thevenow Macon of Madison; his nephew, Bud Thevenow of Madison; his best friends who were like his brother and his sister; several great nieces, great nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Walter Frank Woodburn; his mother, Jean Margaret Lewis Woodburn; his sister, Jill Cavanaugh Woodburn, and his brother, Thomas Arnott “Tom” Woodburn.

Funeral services will be conducted on Wednesday, July 10, 2024 at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN. Private family interment will follow on Friday, July 12, 2024 at 10:30 a.m. in the Springdale Cemetery, 600 West Fifth Street in downtown in Madison.

Friends may visit on Tuesday, July 9, 2024, from 4 — 7 p.m. and Wednesday, July 10, 2024 from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

A final salute with military honors will be provided by the Major Samuel Woodfill Post No. 9 of the American Legion and the Fort Knox Ceremonial Unit

Memorial contributions may be made to the Jefferson County Historical Society to continue Peter’s lifelong work in preserving history. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

Anne L. Finnegan Jenner



Anne L. Finnegan Jenner, of Madison, IN, passed away Thursday, July 4, 2024. The daughter of the late Thomas Jr. and Mary A. Manaugh Finnegan, Anne grew up in Hanover and in 1961 graduated from Hanover High School where she excelled in academics, developed lifelong friendships and participated in multiple extracurricular activities. Able to balance teenage social engagements and scholastic endeavors simultaneously, Anne graduated at the top of her class. After high school, Anne attended nursing school but eventually changed career directions. Anne always credited her strong work ethic, multi-tasking skills and affable personality demeanor to her parents who owned and operated Finnegan’s Grocery in Hanover for 31 years. During those formative teenage years, she had chores at the store where she daily interacted with dozens of customers, worked part-time at Hanover College and often served as the caretaker and referee, as well as always best friend, to three Finnegan brothers. Her caretaking days with boys did not end with

adulthood however but rather expanded over the years. In the early 1960s, Anne married Don Lynch and three sons blessed this union, Scott, Patrick and Andy. She later married Madison attorney William “Bill” Jenner and a fourth son, Joe, completed the assemblage of boys. Much to their mother’s utmost delight, they were half-brothers by legal definition but full brothers in spirit and were loved fully and equally by Bill. Anne thoroughly cherished the role of motherhood and made her sons’ personal happiness and career direction her lifelong mission. The accumulation of birthdays did not matter. Anne and Bill provided the four brothers a life full of discipline, love and memorable experiences. And according to her sons as they lovingly joke,

this caring mother with high standards often put them in the “doghouse” if they strayed from Mom’s rules. In their later years together, she and Bill enjoyed traveling and hosting frequent family gatherings. Throughout life, Anne was active in numerous civic, social and religious organizations, including Eastern Star, Madison Garden Club, Psi Iota Xi Sorority, Jefferson County Boys & Girls Club (Board of Directors) and attended St. John’s United Church of Christ with her late husband, and served as an elder at the Hanover Presbyterian Church in Hanover, Indiana. Anne died on Thursday, July 4, 2024, at 3:35 a.m. at the River Terrace Health Campus in Madison, IN.

Anne will be missed by her loving sons, Scott Lynch and his wife, Kathy of Madison, IN, Andy Lynch and his wife, Amber of Bloomington, IN, Patrick Lynch and his companion, Kristi Nichols of Madison, IN; Joe Jenner and his wife, Katie of Madison, IN; she was a caring grandmother to 12, Max Lynch, Jensen Persinger and her husband, Trent, Mitchell Lynch-Seng, Annie Chambers and her husband, Kyle, Tatum Lynch, Kaiya Norris,

Lucy Lynch, Taylor Lynch, Jackson Lynch, Mary Grace Jenner, Jane Jenner, and Harper Lynch; adoring great grandmother to, Robin Persinger, Leah Persinger and John Ford Chambers; loving sister to, Bob Finnegan and his wife, Mary Jo of Dillsboro, IN, James Finnegan and his wife, Brenda of Madison, IN; caring sister in law to, Darlene Kloepfer of Hanover, IN; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her father, Thomas Finnegan, Jr.; her mother, Mary A. Manaugh Finnegan; her beloved husband, William “Bill” Edward Jenner, died November 21, 2019, and her brother, Thomas “Bud” Finnegan III.

Private family services were conducted Monday, July 8, 2024, by Pastor Brynen Chitwood at the Hanover Cemetery in Hanover, IN. Interment will follow in the Hanover Cemetery in Hanover, IN.

Private family gathering was held at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre in Hanover.

Memorial contributions can be made to The Jenner Family Fund in care of the Madison Jefferson County Community Foundation.

Rodney Michael Kelley



Rodney Michael Kelley, age 65, of Madison, IN, entered this life on September 12, 1958, in Madison, IN. He was the loving son of the late Arthur Louis and Bernadine Matilda Feider Kelley. Rodney graduated from Madison Consolidated High School and attended apprenticeship for tool and die making. He was united in marriage on April 12, 1980, to Debra Lynn Dunn at the First Baptist Church in downtown Madison. He was raised Catholic but had attended First Baptist Church since 1975. Rodney had worked at Clifty Engineering from 1977 to 1994 as a tool and die maker. In 1994 he began working as a prototype technician at Grote Industries until his retirement on February 5, 2024. Rodney’s interests

included photography, woodworking, bicycling, and hiking. Rodney fought a courageous battle with colon cancer for the past eight years. He participated in three clinical trials with hope of helping find a cure for cancer. Rodney lost his battle with colon cancer on Thursday, July 4, 2024, at 9:46 pm at his home in Madison, IN, with his loving wife at his side.

Rodney will be missed

by his beloved wife of 44 years, Debra Lynn Dunn Kelley of Madison, IN; his brothers, Gary Kelley and his wife, Vicki of Hanover, IN, Bernard Kelley and his wife, Susan of Madison, IN, Brian Kelley and his wife, Angie of Madison, IN; his sister in law, Carol Kelley of Edgewood, KY; his brother in law, Rusty Smith of Madison, IN; several nieces, nephews, and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Arthur Louis Kelley; his mother, Bernadine Matilda Feider Kelley; his brothers, William “Fred” Kelley, Larry Arthur Kelley, his sisters, Bonita Elaine Kelley, and Denise Kelley Chatham-Smith; his nephew, Christopher Scott Kelley; his niece, Diana Lynn Kelley; his father in law and his mother in law, Leonard Dunn and

Marcelena Dunn.

Funeral services will be conducted Thursday, July 11, 2024, at 11 a.m., by Pastor Randy Crutchfield at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, IN. Interment will follow in the Springdale Cemetery, 600 West Fifth Street in downtown Madison.

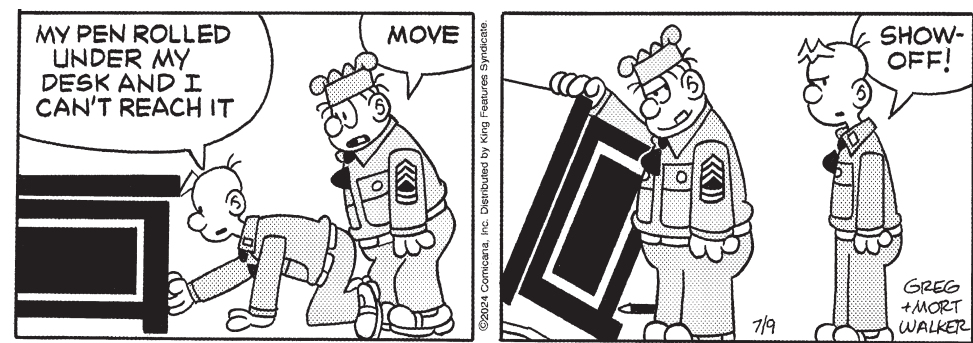
Friends may visit Wednesday, July 10, 2024, from 5 — 7 p.m. and Thursday, July 11, 2024 from 10 a.m. until the time of service at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre.

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church. Cards are available at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centres of Madison and Hanover. Online condolences, remembrances, and memorials can be left at www.morgan-nay.com.

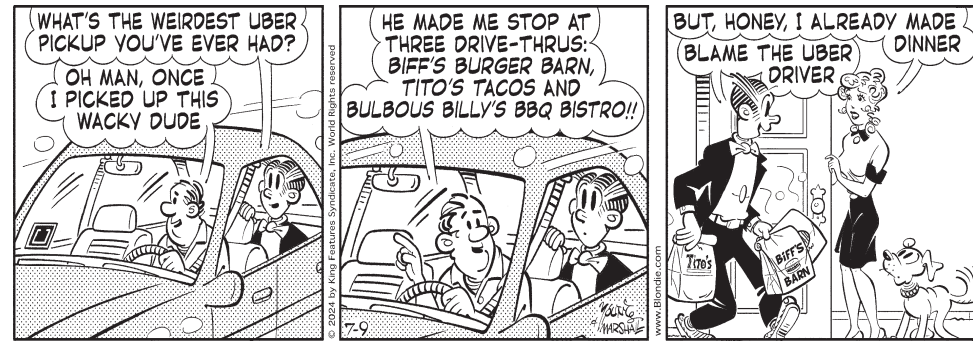
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Vicky Denise Carmack Harlow, 58, of Carrollton, KY, died Wednesday, July 3, 2024, at Jewish Hospital in Louisville. Funeral services will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday, July 9, at Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, IN, with interment at a later date in the English Cemetery near Carrollton, [\[landmorrison.com\]\(http://landmorrison.com\).
Irene Bowman Martin, 96, of Lawrenceburg, IN, and formerly of Vevay, IN, died Saturday, July 6, 2024, at St. Elizabeth Dearborn Hospital in Lawrenceburg. Arrangements will be announced by the Haskell & Morrison Funeral Home in Vevay, \[www.haskellandmorrison.com\]\(http://www.haskellandmorrison.com\).](http://www.haskel-</p></div><div data-bbox=)

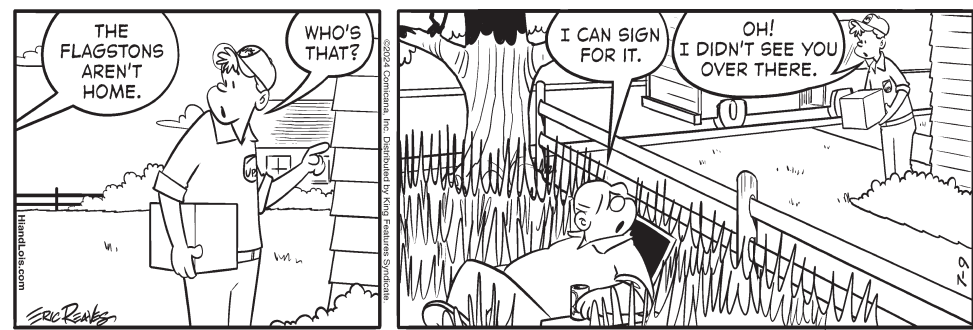
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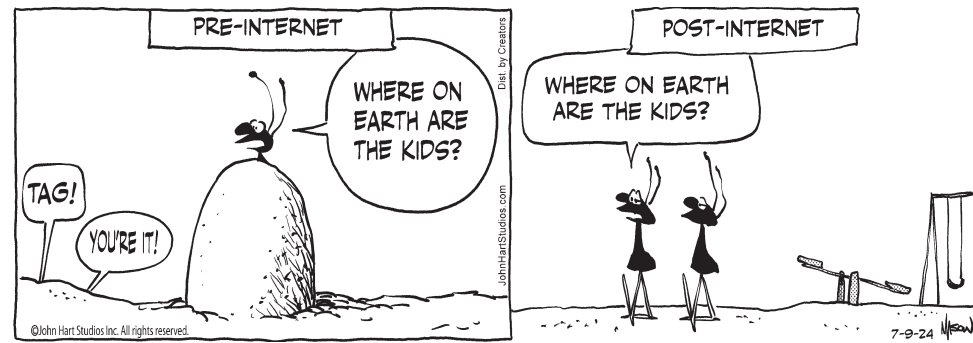
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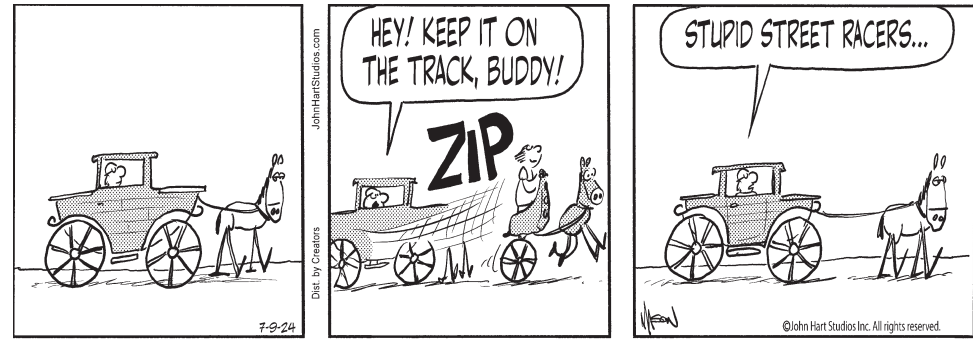
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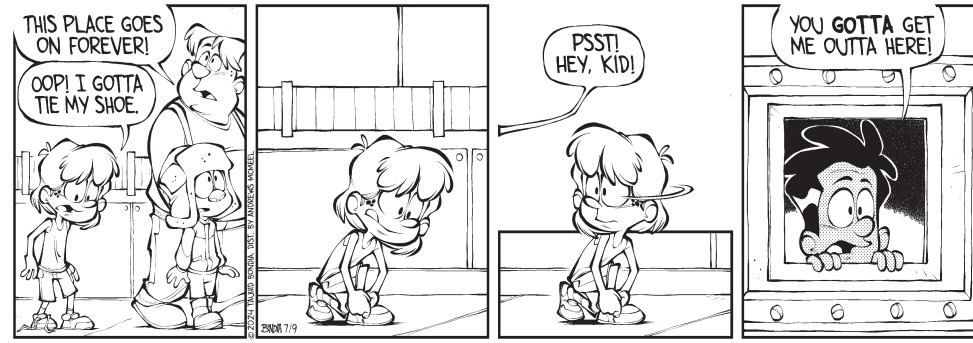
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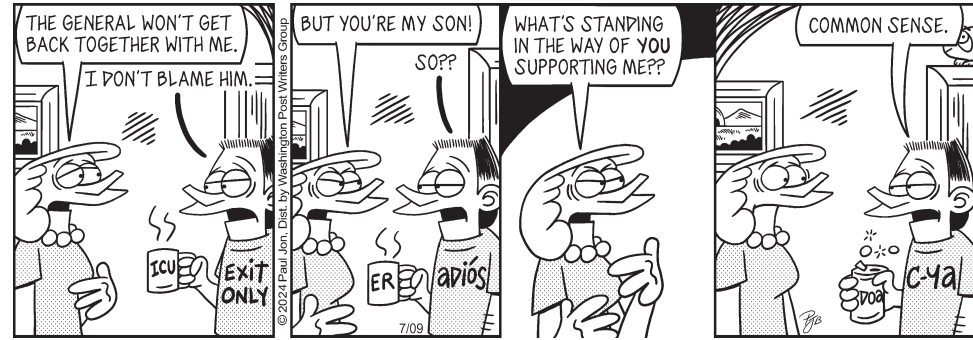
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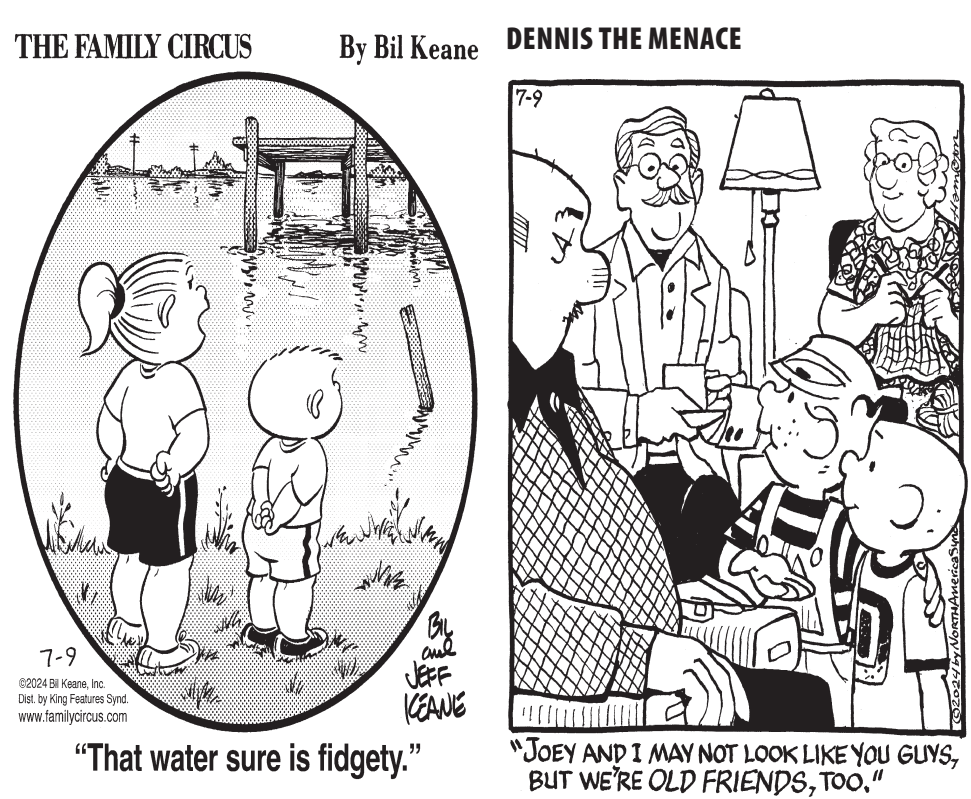
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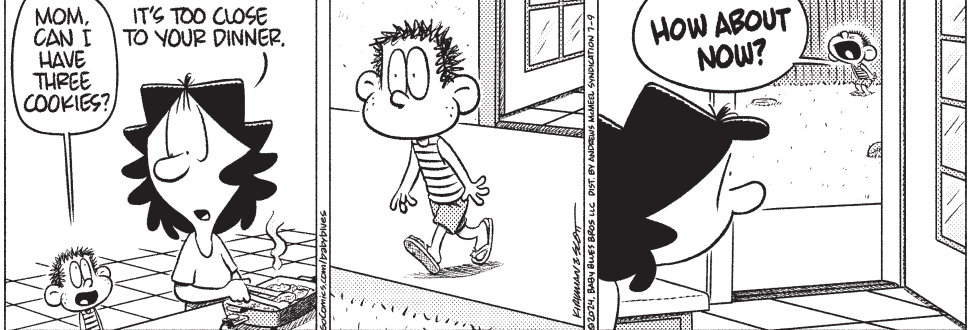
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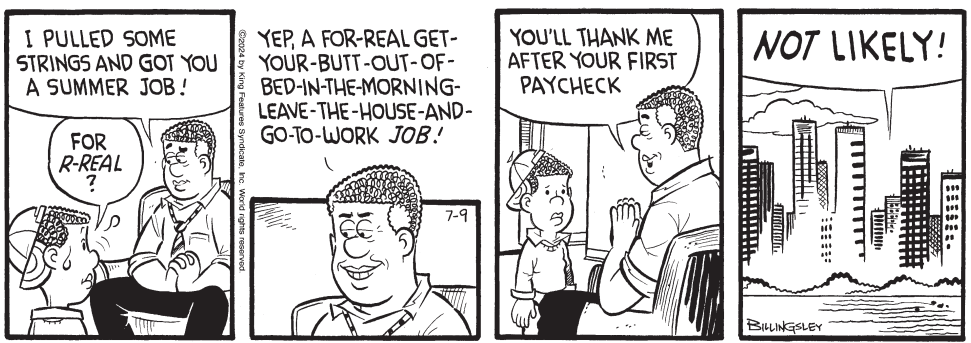
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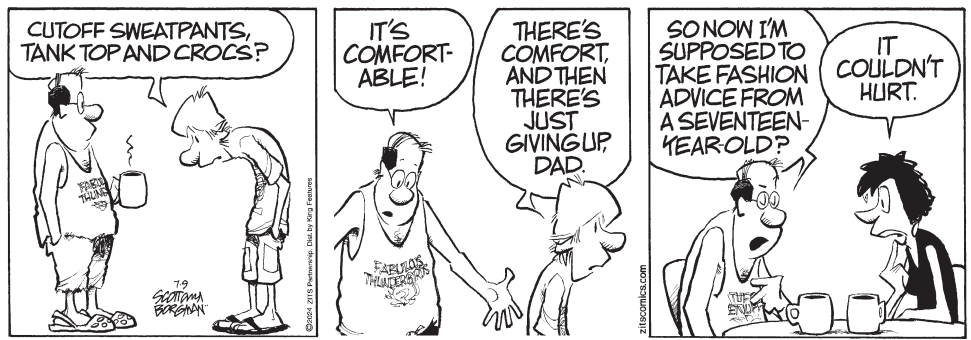
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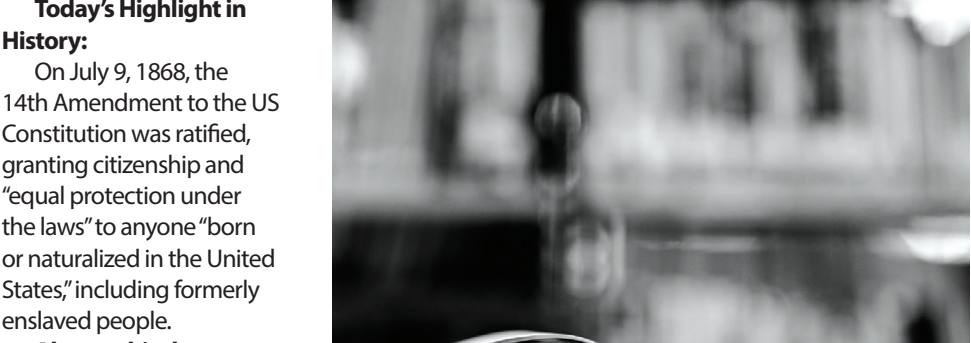
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TODAY IN HISTORY

Today's Highlight in History:

On July 9, 1868, the 14th Amendment to the US Constitution was ratified, granting citizenship and "equal protection under the laws" to anyone "born or naturalized in the United States," including formerly enslaved people.

Also on this date:

In 1850, President Zachary Taylor died of gastrointestinal illness after consuming a large amount of cherries and iced milk on a hot day five days earlier; Vice President Millard Fillmore was sworn in as president the following day.

In 1896, William Jennings Bryant delivered his famous "Cross of Gold" speech at the Democratic National Convention in Chicago.

In 1918, 101 people were killed in a train collision in Nashville, Tennessee in the deadliest US rail disaster in history.

In 1937, a fire at 20th Century Fox's storage facility in Little Ferry, New Jersey, destroyed most of the studio's silent films.

In 1943, during World War II, the Allies launched Operation Husky, the invasion of Sicily.

In 1944, during World War II, American forces secured Saipan as the last Japanese defenses fell.

In 1947, the engagement of Britain's Princess Elizabeth to Lt. Philip Mountbatten was announced.

In 1965, the Sonny & Cher single "I Got You Babe" was released by ATCO Records.

In 1982, Pan Am Flight 759, a Boeing 727, crashed in Kenner, Louisiana, shortly after takeoff from New Orleans International Airport, killing all 145 people aboard and eight people on the ground.

In 2004, a Senate Intelligence Committee report concluded the CIA had provided unfounded assessments of the threat posed by Iraq that the Bush administration had relied on to justify going to war.

In 2010, the largest U.S.-Russia spy swap since the Cold War was completed on a remote stretch of Vienna airport tarmac as planes from New York and Moscow arrived within minutes of each other with 10 Russian sleeper agents and four prisoners accused by Russia of spying for the West.

In 2011, South Sudan officially became an independent nation.

In 2018, President Donald Trump nominated Brett Kavanaugh to fill the seat left vacant by the retirement of Supreme Court Justice Anthony Kennedy.

Today's Birthdays: Artist

David Hockney is 87. Author Dean Koontz is 79. Actor Chris Cooper is 73. Musician and TV personality John Tesh is 72. Country singer David Ball is 71. Business executive/TV personality Kevin O'Leary (TV: "Shark Tank") is 70. Singer Debbie Sledge (Sister Sledge) is 70. Actor Jimmy Smits is 69. US Senator Lindsey Graham is 69. Actor Tom Hanks is 68. Singer Marc Almond is 67. Actor Kelly McGillis is 67. Rock singer Jim Kerr (Simple Minds) is 65. Actor-rock singer Courtney Love is 60. Actor Pamela Adlon is 58. Actor Scott Grimes is 53. Actor Enrique Murciano (TV: "Without a Trace") is 51. Musician/producer Jack White is 49. Rock singer-musician Isaac Brock (Modest Mouse) is 49. Actor-director Fred Savage is 48. Actor Linda Park (TV: "Star Trek: Enterprise") is 46. Actor Megan Parlen is 44. Animator/writer/producer Rebecca Sugar is 37. Actor Mitchel Musso is 33. Actor Georgie Henley (Film: "The Chronicles of Narnia") is 29.

Hometown USA Parade



Miss Madison Regatta Queen Riley Poling waves to the spectators in Friday's Hometown USA Parade on Main Street in Madison.



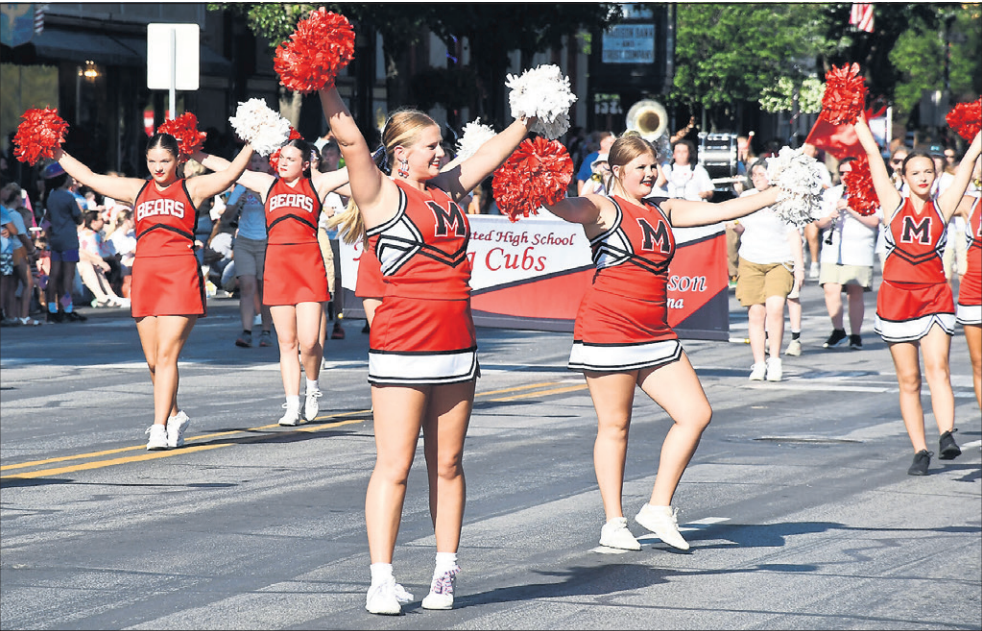
Tova Uravitch served as the All-American Queen for the PFLAG chapter of Hanover and Madison as the organization participated in Friday's Hometown USA Parade.

Former Madison baseball head coach Gary O'Neal (left) and his assistant coach Mike Modisett were grand marshals of this year's Hometown USA Parade. This year is the 25th anniversary of the Cubs' Class 3A state baseball championship.

Photos by Bob Demaree



Jefferson County 4-H Fair Queen Kelly Thorpe (right) and her court appeared in the Hometown USA Parade on Friday. From left Shelby Morton, second runner-up; Paige Campbell, third runner-up; Leanne Graham, fourth runner-up; Adrea Liter, first runner-up; and Thorpe.



Madison junior high and high school cheerleaders pomp pomp their way down Main Street ahead of the Marching Cubs band in Friday's Hometown USA Parade.



Murat Shriners in Friday's Hometown USA Parade in front the recently refurbished Ohio Theatre marquee and facade.

Biden tells Democrats he won't step aside

BY LISA MASCARO,
ZEKE MILLER AND
SEUNG MIN KIM
ASSOCIATED PRESS

WASHINGTON — President Joe Biden, in a letter to congressional Democrats, stood firm against calls for him to drop his candidacy and called for an end to the intraparty drama that has torn apart Democrats since his dismal public debate performance.

Biden's efforts to shore up a deeply anxious Democratic Party came Monday as lawmakers returned to Washington confronting a choice: Decide whether to work to revive his campaign or try to edge out the party leader, a make-or-break time for his reelection and their own political futures.

Biden wrote in the two-page letter that "the question of how to move forward has been well-aired for over a week now. And it's time for it to end." He stressed that the party has "one job," which is to defeat presumptive Republican presidential nominee Donald Trump in November.

"We have 42 days to the Democratic Convention and 119 days to the general election," Biden said in the letter, distributed by his reelection campaign. "Any weakening of resolve or lack of clarity about the task ahead only helps Trump and hurts us. It's time to come together, move forward as a unified party, and defeat Donald Trump."

Anxiety is running high as top-ranking Democratic lawmakers are joining calls for Biden to step aside despite his defiance. At the same time, some of the president's most staunch supporters are redoubling the fight for Biden's presidency, insisting there's no one better to beat Trump in what many see as among the most important elections of a lifetime.

Biden followed up the letter with a phone interview with MSNBC's "Morning Joe" show, on which he insisted that "average Democrats" want him to stay in the race and said he was "frustrated" by the calls from party officials for him to step aside.

"They're big names, but I don't care what those big names think," Biden said.

He threw the gauntlet at his critics, saying if they're serious they ought to "announce for president, challenge me at the convention" or rally behind him against Trump.

Democratic voters are split on whether Biden should remain the Democratic Party's nominee for president, or whether there should be a different Democratic nominee, according to a New York Times/Siena College poll.

As lawmakers weigh whether Biden should stay or go, there appear to be no easy answers.

It's a tenuous and highly volatile juncture for the president's party. Democrats who have worked alongside Biden for years — if not decades — and cherished his life's work on policy priorities are now entertaining uncomfortable questions about his political future. And

it's unfolding as Biden hosts world leaders for the NATO summit this week in Washington.

Time is not on their side, almost a month from the Democratic National Convention and just a week before Republicans gather in Milwaukee to renominate Trump as their presidential pick. Many Democrats are arguing the attention needs to be focused not on Biden but on the former president's felony conviction in the hush money case and pending federal charges in his effort to overturn the 2020 election.

It's what Biden himself might call an inflection point. As he defiantly says he will only step aside if the Lord almighty comes and tells him to, Democrats in the House and Senate are deciding how hard they want to fight the president to change his course, or if they want to change course at all.

In an effort to "get on the same page," House Democratic leader Hakeem Jeffries is convening lawmakers for private meetings before he shows his own preference, according to a person familiar with the situation and granted anonymity to discuss it. He planned to gather on Monday some Democrats whose bids for reelection are most vulnerable.

A private call Sunday including some 15 top House committee members exposed the deepening divide as at least four more Democrats — Rep. Jerrold Nadler of New York, Rep. Jim Himes of Connecticut, Rep. Adam Smith of Washington state and Rep. Mark Takano of California — privately said Biden should step aside.

Nadler, as one of the more senior members on the call, was the first person to say that Biden should step aside, according to a person familiar with the call who was granted anonymity to discuss it. He did so aware of his seniority and that it would allow others to join him.

Many others on the call raised concerns about Biden's capability and chance of winning reelection, even if they stopped short of saying Biden should step out of the race.

Still other members, including Rep. Maxine Waters of California and Rep. Bobby Scott of Virginia, both leaders in the Congressional Black Caucus, spoke forcefully in support of Biden, as did Rep. Richard Neal of Massachusetts, the top Democrat on the powerful Ways and Means Committee.

And several lawmakers appeared frustrated that leadership was not providing direction or a path forward, according to people familiar with the call. One Democratic lawmaker said regardless of the decision, the situation has to "end now," one of the people said.

Neal said afterward that the bottom line is Biden beat Trump in 2020 and "he'll do it again in November."

The upheaval also is testing a new generation of leaders, headed by Jef-

fries and Senate Majority Leader Chuck Schumer. Both New Yorkers have refrained from publicly directing lawmakers on a path forward as they balance diverse opinions in their ranks.

Behind the scenes is Speaker Emerita Nancy Pelosi, who continues to field calls from lawmakers seeking advice about the situation, and is widely viewed as the one to watch for any ultimate decision on Biden's future because of her proximity to the president and vote-counting skills in party politics.

Pelosi spoke up last week, saying Biden's debate performance raised "legitimate" questions he needed to answer, but she has remained supportive of the president. And Biden called her last week when he reached out to other party leaders.

When Biden's prime-time ABC interview on Friday appeared to do little to calm worried Democrats, and some said made the situation worse, Pelosi stepped forward to publicly praise Biden on social media as a "great President who continues to deliver for America's kitchen table." She added, "and we're not done yet!"

Schumer has kept a lower profile throughout the ordeal but will convene Democratic senators Tuesday for their weekly lunch when senators are certain to air many views.

One Democrat, Sen. Mark Warner of Virginia, had intended to gather senators Monday to discuss Biden privately, but a person familiar with his thinking said those conversations will take place in Tuesday's regular caucus luncheon with all Democratic senators.

Another Democrat, Sen. Alex Padilla of California, said it was "time to quit the hand-wringing and get back to door knocking."

Padilla spoke with Biden over the weekend, and urged his campaign to "let Joe be Joe."

"Given the debate, I think the campaign has no choice," Padilla said Sunday, explaining that Biden needs to hold town halls and unscripted events to show voters "the Joe Biden I know, and that most people in American have come to grow and love."

While some deep-pocketed donors may be showing discomfort, strategists working on House and Senate races said they posted record fundraising as donors view congressional Democrats as a "firewall" and last line of defense against Trump.

House Democrats have had some of their better fundraising days yet, including a \$3 million haul last Friday night after the debate at an event with former President Barack Obama and Jeffries in New York City. That's on top of \$1.3 million that rolled into the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee during the debate and its immediate aftermath.

Senate Democrats are also seeing a "surge" of support, according to a national Democrat with knowledge of Senate races.

ASHCRAFT

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"I see my role as being one that is taking five school districts and trying to hear from everyone what their needs are and be value-added to those districts," she said.

Ashcraft has also met with the Jefferson Community Technical College, which

has a campus in Carrollton, and the Carroll County Area Technology Center to talk to them about their ideas and what they have to offer to iLead students.

She said she hopes to look at everything previous director Gray has done for the academy and learn from that moving forward. "I believe that when you take a role like this, you've got to learn the lay of the land first before you start making

changes and doing things that maybe you would regret just from not having enough information," she said.

Count Gray among the supporters Ashcraft will have moving forward. She offered words of optimism and enthusiasm recently in a Facebook post. "I am so excited to see what the future holds for iLEAD under Katie's leadership," Gray said.

City, Regatta honor Gov. Holcomb for support of Madison, Madison Regatta

BY BOB DEMAREE

During Sunday's awards presentation, Madison Mayor Bob Courtney and Madison Regatta President Jak McCormick presented Indiana Gov. Eric Holcomb an award "in grateful appreciation of your support for the City of Madison and the tradition of the Madison Regatta."

Holcomb, now in the final year of his second term as Governor, is unable to run for reelection due to term limits. He's been a regular at the Madison Regatta, and once again attended this year with his wife, Janet.

Courtney told Holcomb he has “been a great supporter for the city of Madison. There has

not been a greater Governor
that has loved Madison more,
and is really supportive of us
in everything that we've done
... We're going to miss you.
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Regatta as our Governor but it's
not your last Regatta."

Courtney also presented a key to the city to McCormick. "The city of Madison loves its tradition of the Regatta, and Jak I want to thank you for you and your team for bringing this sport really to the highest quality and representing the city of Madison so well." He said the key to city is "acknowledging all of his hard work. This race was really on its back a few years ago. You and (Regatta vice pres-

ident) Kyle (Bipes) have done a phenomenal job and the city is really grateful."

Additionally, during Madison Regatta opening ceremonies Sunday morning, special recognition was given to Tony Steinhardt by the Madison Regatta “for years of dedicated service to the sport of hydroplane racing, the Madison Regatta and the Miss Madison Racing Team.”

Steinhardt's involvement and support goes back to the early years of Miss Madison Racing in the 1960s, including the 1971 Gold Cup champion Miss Madison whose Cinderella story was later the subject of a 2001 movie, "Madison."

HOLCOMB

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One of the initiatives during Holcomb's current term was the Regional Economic Acceleration and Development Initiative (READI) that has provided \$1 billion to regions through the state in two rounds (\$500 million in each round) that has benefited Madison by providing funding for the development of the Mulberry Mural Plaza, the Madison Gateway and Ohio River Legacy Park, along with refurbishment of the facade and marquee of the Ohio Theatre. Holcomb said he's impressed with how the READI funds have improved Madison, characterizing much of what's been done as "selfie moments" that draws people to the community. "I just imagine the line that forms up when you take something old and make it new again. There's a lot of pride that goes into it, but there's even more that comes out of it."

Holcomb called READI “one of the most successful initiatives in the last eight years” while he’s been Governor, but even beyond that in the last two decades “because it’s pulled people together, at different levels, different organizations, got them aligned, according to what the priorities truly were at the ground level, and it’s also then attracted others to put skin in the game as well” with private investment to match what’s been provided by the state.

Holcomb's term will end Jan. 13 when the new Governor will be sworn into office — either Democrat Jennifer McCormick or Republican Mike Braun, who are running to be the next Governor.

"It's definitely bittersweet because you know the end is near. But there's a lot to do" that creates "an urgency to get everything done that's humanly possible to get done, and it really has pulled the administration even closer together."

er because we've really focused not just on new things or potential things, but delivering on the resources that we have that before Jan. 13, and then we turn it over and hand the baton to the successor." In preparing for that transition, Holcomb said, "The best that we can do is create the momentum that they feed off, and then try to improve where we might have fallen short."

Holcomb hasn't yet determined his future after he completes his time as Governor. "I've been very disciplined to not take the bait. A number folks have approached me and suggested certain options and I've just said if you need an answer now, I'm not your guy. I may have an interest but I've got to be focused on the job I have" as Governor. "There's a number of potential companies that have approached me about work service about full-time jobs, but I just have to deal with the job I've got, and then figure out how I can snap those pieces together in the future. But that's in the future, and my wife is very understanding, so I've got that going for me."

Whatever he does, Holcomb expects to serve the public in some way because that's what he's done throughout his working career. After graduating from Hanover College, he served in the US Navy for six years. In 1997, he began working for Congressman John Hostetler. From 2003 to 2011, Holcomb served as an advisor to Indiana Gov. Mitch Daniels, eventually becoming Deputy Chief of Staff. Prior to becoming Governor, Holcomb was Indiana's Lieutenant Governor.

"When you write it down on paper what you want and what you need, what's going to make me happy and energized, service is part of my DNA, and I love this state and I love the different communities scattered throughout the state, so it will draw me and I hope keep me close, and involved, appropriately so."

Special judge rules in favor of HDBR in shipping container lawsuit

BY THE COURIER STAFF

A special judge issued a ruling last week in favor of the city of Madison in a lawsuit in which the Historic District Board of Review (HDBR) denied a Certificate of Appropriateness (COA) for the installation of shipping containers at property owned by Lanthier Winery.

The ruling was issued by Special Judge Gregory Cov. Circuit Judge for Switzerland County, affirming the HDBR's decision on Dec. 5, 2022, to deny use of shipping containers for storage at the northeast and west corners of 701 West First Street in downtown Madison. The application for the COA was made by Lanthier Winery

co-owner Tami Hagemier on Oct. 3, 2022.

The matter was brought before HDBR at its meeting Oct. 24 but was tabled. According to the meeting minutes, Hagemier asked that the matter be tabled for additional time to submit evidence.

The next HDBR meeting was scheduled for Nov. 28, 2022, but was canceled due to a lack of a quorum. The meeting was rescheduled for Dec. 5, 2022, and Hagemier did not attend that meeting or have representation in support of the application. After discussion by the HDBR, a motion was made and approved to deny the COA.

Prior to the Dec. 5 meeting,

Hagemier filed a complaint that the COA was approved due to the lack of meeting on Nov. 28, contending that postponement was a violation of HDBR's own ordinance. Hagemier stated she did not agree to an extension time past Nov. 28.

The court ruling stated it “finds that if the board committed any procedural error(s), they were minor at best.”

Hagemier was notified that the meeting had been moved and had an opportunity to appear and to address her application on the merits at the Dec. 5, 2022, but chose litigation instead.”

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Gabe Pedigo with his dog, Newman, during Saturday's Jefferson County 4-H Fair dog show. Newman was judged reserve champion in two categories.



Already with a pocketful of blue ribbons, Ben Copeland was competing in Saturday's poultry show at the Jefferson County 4-H Fairgrounds.



Melissa Branson, of Rush County, is judging eggs during Saturday's poultry show at the Jefferson County 4-H Fairgrounds.



Youth line up behind their fowl at the poultry show Saturday at the Jefferson County 4-H Fair while being judged by Jason Branson of Rush County.

FAIR

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Judging for 4-H youth will take place throughout the week. On Tuesday, western horse show is at

8:30 a.m. with the swine show at 5 p.m. On Wednesday, the dairy show will be at 10 a.m., the cat show at 2 p.m. and the sheep show at 5 p.m. The beef show will be Thursday at 8 a.m. Opening events Saturday were the poultry show

and dog show followed by the English horse show on Sunday. Monday's events included the rabbit and goat show. The livestock auction will be at 1 p.m. on Friday with meat goat class included this year along with beef,

swine, sheep and specialty categories. The 4-H exhibit hall and open class buildings will be open through Friday from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m. daily. The commercial buildings will be open through Friday from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. daily.



Jason Branson of Rush County, a licensed judge with the American Poultry Association, was the judge for Saturday's poultry show during the Jefferson County 4-H Fair that's underway this week.

STUDENT NEWS

GRADUATES

Chloe Ferris of Madison has graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Exercise Science and Fitness from Manchester University. Ferris was also named to Manchester's Dean's List for spring semester 2024 by earning a semester grade point average of 3.5 or higher while completing at least 12 semester hours.

Graduates for 2024 at the University of the Cumberlands in Williamsburg, Kentucky, include Caroline Cissell and Ryan Laswell of Madison; Cassandra Pyles of Sanders, Kentucky; Kara Debaun and Shawntae Taylor, both of Ghent, Kentucky; Ella Apon-te of Bedford, Kentucky; Mila Consley of Milton, Kentucky; and Joie Bieger, Hannah Devine, Katie Habas and Hannah March, all of Carrollton, Kentucky. Tricia Lee Courtney of Milton, Kentucky, has graduated from Midway University with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Teacher Education during the commencement ceremony in May. Luke Ommen of Madison was among the class of 2024 graduates from Berry College in Rome, Georgia. Ommen earned a Bachelor of Science degree in Sports Administration. Alex Nichols of Milton, Kentucky, was awarded a Bachelor of Science degree in Aerospace Engineering from The University of Alabama during the spring commencement exercises. Nichols was also named to the Dean's List for spring semester 2024. Students are named to the Dean's List with an academic record of 3.5 (or above).

HONORED STUDENTS

Taylor Harsin of Madison was named to The University of Alabama President's List for spring semester 2024. Students are named to the president's list with an academic record of 4.0 (all A's). Emmaline Leatherman of Madison, a student at Trine University in Angola, has been named to the President's List for the spring 2024 semester. Leatherman is majoring in Exercise Science and Physical Therapy. To earn President's List honors, Trine University students must compete a minimum of 12 hour and have a grade point average of 3.75-4.0. Students making the spring 2024 semester of the President's List at the University of the Cumberlands are Carolyn Cissell of Madison, Ashley Consley of Milton, Kentucky, and Katie Habas of Carrollton, Kentucky. To be eligible for the President's List, students must be enrolled at least 12 credit hours, maintain a

minimum 4.0 grade point average, receive an "A" grade in the leadership service UC Engage course, and be in good academic standing. Also, Katie Habas has also been inducted into Kappa Delta Pi, a national education honor society.

Students making the Dean's List at the University of the Cumberlands are Kara Debaun, Ghent, Kentucky; Bayleigh McVicker and Treavor Smith, both of Milton, Kentucky; Mikaela Hall, Bedford, Kentucky; Jana McKinley, Patriot, Indiana; and Shari Davis, Andria Kyle and Theresa Shaw, all of Carrollton, Kentucky. Dean's List eligibility requires students must be enrolled at least 12 credit hours and a minimum semester grade point average of 3.5. Three students from Jefferson County have been named to the University of Evansville Dean's List for the spring 2024 semester — Megan Dunham and Erika Hazelwood, both of Deputy, and Olivia Spencer of Madison. Molly Ambrecht and Preston Kuppler, both of Madison, have been named to the Dean's List for Belmont University located in Nashville, Tennessee. Dean's List eligibility at Belmont University is based on a minimum course load of 12 hours and grade point average of 3.5 with no grade below a C.

Grace Long of Carrollton, Kentucky, and Audrey Howerton of Bedford, Kentucky, have been named to the Dean's List at the University of Kentucky College of Arts and Science for spring semester 2024. Students on the dean's list earned 12 or more credit hours as letter grades with a minimum 3.6 grade point average. Kaelynn Pugh of Bedford, Kentucky; Kylie Smith, of Carrollton, Kentucky, and Mariah Adair, of Ghent, Kentucky have been named to the Dean's List at Midway University for the spring 2024 semester. To be named to the list, a student must be classified as full-time and obtain at 3.6 grade point average for the semester. Emily Turner of Madison has been named to University of Bridgeport's Dean's List for the spring 2024 semester. To be named to the Dean's List for the university, located in Bridgeport, Connecticut, a student must have term grade point average of between 3.2-3.69.

Emily Gosman of Madison was named to the Dean's List at Cedarville University for the spring 2024 semester. To earn Dean's List honors, Cedarville University students must obtain a 3.75 grade point average or higher for the semester and carry a minimum of 12 credit hours.

LAWSUIT

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Madison Mayor Bob Courtney said it is now the HDBR's responsibility to "enforce the

ordinance" and "seek removal of the containers." "The lawsuit has been denied and the board should now ask the owner to bring the property into compliance as had been requested in the past. They have had their

day in court. If they choose to appeal, the city will defend its position," said Courtney. "The important thing is that these regulations matter to protect our historic district and we're pleased with the outcome of the lawsuit."

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Tate delivers to bring win to hometown fans

BY DAVID CAMPBELL

A technicality kept Andrew Tate from being the top qualifier on Friday. But nothing was going to stop Tate in the Madison Regatta final.

Tate pulled away from the field on the second of five laps and was never touched, driving the hometown favorite U-91 Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison to victory in the Indiana Governor's Cup in Madison on Sunday.

The win was Tate's second on the Ohio River course but his first driving for the hometown team.

"It's a completely different feeling. I've always enjoyed Madison. I've always enjoyed coming to town. But to be on the other side of the fence, to be a good guy and not the bad guy, it's very, very special," Tate said with a smile. "Everyone roots for the Madison team in Madison and it's super special for me and my family. I'm really, really glad to be a part of it."

Tate's weekend got off to a blazing start on Friday when he steered the Goodman to an average lap speed of 157.370 mph in qualifying, the second-fastest lap at Madison in the restricted era and just shy of Dave Villwock's record 158.027 set in 2007 aboard the Miss Elam Plus.

But by late Saturday morning, that marked was erased due to a long-forgotten rule specifying that boats have to complete three consecutive laps during qualifying in order for a speed to count. Tate's mark came on



Indiana Governor Eric Holcomb (left) presents the Indiana Governor's Cup to Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison driver Andrew Tate (right) on Sunday.

his second lap after which he then turned the boat back into the pits. That same rule erased speeds by Dustin Echols, in the U-40 Bucket List Racing, and Jamie Nilsen, in the U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee.

Echols had been the second-fastest qualifier.

Tate may have lost 100 points on the technicality but he made up for it in the final. Grabbing lane three with Strong Racing teammates J. Michael Kelly and Corey Peabody on his inside,

Tate roared into the first turn and came out in front. When Peabody's U-9 Beacon Plumbing spun into Kelly's roostertail, the race was all but over.

With Peabody no longer in lane two acting as a blocker to make Tate drive a bigger course, Kelly was unable to keep up with the charging Tate. Tate took control of the race course on the second lap and Kelly quickly fell behind.

"If Corey had been able to stay in there, I might have had a

chance," Kelly said. "But (Tate) is so fast. He's hard to catch."

Like he did the week before in Guntersville, Alabama, Tate wasn't challenged over the final three laps, but he never back off the throttle. His winning speed of 145.049 mph was the fastest on the course in a five-lap heat in the restricted era and just a hair off the Madison course record of 145.573 set by his father Mark Tate aboard the Smokin' Joe's in 1996. Dave Villwock owned the restricted record of 139.640 set



Andrew Tate steers the U-91 Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison under the Madison-Milton Bridge during the Madison Regatta on Sunday.

in 2007 aboard the Miss Elam Plus.

"It makes it easier when you have a great team and a great piece of equipment," Tate said. "We kind of ended up starting where we wanted to start, in lane three and once you get through the first turn clean, anything can happen here. I'd like to think maybe we did save the best one for the last."

Kelly finished second in the U-1 Beacon Electric while Peabody recovered from his spin to overtake Jamie Nilsen and the U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee for third place.

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MADISON WINNERS/ MISS MADISON WINS

MADISON REGATTA Past Winners

Year|Boat, Driver

- 1951 — Marion Cooper, Hornet
- 1952 — Burnett Bartley, Wildcatter
- 1953 — Burnett Bartley, Wildcatter
- 1954 — Bill Cantrell, Gale IV
- 1955 — Danny Foster, Tempo VII
- 1956 — Fred Alter, Miss U.S. I
- 1957 — Jack Regas, Hawaii Kai III
- 1958 — Don Wilson, Miss U.S. I
- 1959 — Ron Musson, Hawaii Kai III
- 1960 — Bill Muncey, Miss Thriftway
- 1961 — Bill Muncey, Miss Century 21
- 1962 — Bill Muncey, Miss Century 21
- 1963 — Bill Brow, Miss Exhide
- 1964 — Chuck Thompson, Tahoe Miss
- 1965 — Chuck Thompson, Tahoe Miss
- 1966 — Mira Slovak, Tahoe Miss
- 1967 — Billy Schumacher, Miss Bardahl
- 1968 — Billy Schumacher, Miss Bardahl
- 1969 — Dean Chenoweth, Myr's Special
- 1970 — Dean Chenoweth, Miss Budweiser
- 1971 — Jim McCormick, Miss Madison
- 1972 — Bill Muncey, Atlas Van Lines
- 1973 — Mickey, Remund, Pay'N Pak
- 1974 — George Henley, Pay'N Pak
- 1975 — George Henley, Pay'N Pak
- 1976 — Bill Muncey, Atlas Van Lines
- 1977 — Mickey Remund, Miss Budweiser
- 1978 — Bill Muncey, Atlas Van Lines
- 1979 — Bill Muncey, Atlas Van Lines
- 1980 — Dean Chenoweth, Miss Budweiser
- 1981 — Dean Chenoweth, Miss Budweiser
- 1982 — Tom D'Eath, Squire Shop
- 1983 — Jim Kropfeld, Miss Budweiser
- 1984 — Chip Hanauer, Atlas Van Lines
- 1985 — Steve Reynolds, Miss 7-Eleven
- 1986 — Chip Hanauer, Miller American
- 1987 — Jim Kropfeld, Miss Budweiser
- 1988 — Scott Pierce, Mr. Pringle
- 1989 — Jim Kropfeld, Miss Budweiser
- 1990 — Chip Hanauer, Miss Circus Circus
- 1991 — Mark Evans, American Spirit
- 1992 — Chip Hanauer, Miss Budweiser
- 1993 — Chip Hanauer, Miss Budweiser
- 1994 — Chip Hanauer, Miss Budweiser
- 1995 — Mark Tate, Smokin' Joe's
- 1996 — Mark Tate, Smokin' Joe's
- 1997 — Dave Villwock, Miss Budweiser
- 1998 — Dave Villwock, Miss Budweise
- 1999 — Chip Hanauer, Miss Pico
- 2000 — Dave Villwock, Miss Budweiser
- 2001 — Steve David, Oh Boy! Oberto
- 2002 — Nate Brown, Miss Elam Plus
- 2003 — Dave Villwock, Miss Budweiser
- 2004 — Dave Villwock, Miss Budweiser
- 2005 — J.W. Myers, Miss Elam Plus
- 2006 — Dave Villwock, Miss Elam Plus
- 2007 — Dave Villwockk, Miss Elam Plus
- 2008 — Jeff Bernard, Formulaboats.com
- 2009 — Dave Villwock, Miss Elam Plus
- 2010 — Steve David, Oh Boy! Oberto
- 2011 — Steve David, Oh Boy! Oberto
- 2012 — Dave Villwock, Spirit of Qatar
- 2014 — J. Michael Kelly, Graham Trucking
- 2015 — J. Michael Kelly, Graham Trucking
- 2016 — Jimmy Shane, Miss HomeStreet Bank
- 2017 — Andrew Tate, Delta/Realtrac
- 2018 — Jimmy Shane, Miss HomeStreet
- 2019 — Jimmy Shane, Miss HomeStreet
- 2021 — Jimmy Shane, Miss HomeStreet

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Brandon Kennedy tears down the front stretch in the GP-35 River City Printing during the Hoosier Nationals on Sunday.

Kennedy sweeps weekend to take control of Grand Prix Challenge

BY JORDAN BEAR

Going into Madison Regatta weekend, the question amongst those in the Grand Prix America pits was simple: Could anyone break Brandon Kennedy's hold on the series?

After all the racing was done, the answer is no. Kennedy remained perfect on the weekend and they season, bringing home the Grand Prix Hoosier National Championship aboard the GP-35 River City Printing on Sunday afternoon in Madison.

"The boat is incredible, the crew is awesome, and it's just been an incredible start," Kennedy said.

"The guys are working non-stop to make sure we have the best equipment on the water and they continue to make it great. The boat was awesome and I'm happy to bring it home once again."

The weekend started off perfectly for Kennedy as he was the top qualifier in time trials, which allowed him to control his lane selection for the races on the first day.

But no matter what lane Kennedy was in, he was always at the front of the pack. While Kennedy was tested by both Jeff Bernard, in the GP-79 Damm Family Bad Influence, and Bobby King, in the GP-50 Freedom, it was never enough as Kennedy always crossed the line in first place.

After a full weekend of racing, Kennedy earned enough points to get lane one in the final heat, and that once again spelled doom for



Brandon Kennedy raises his arms in jubilation after winning the Hoosier Nationals Grand Prix race on the Ohio River on Sunday.

his competitors. Kennedy timed the start perfectly and was never challenged as he cruised to the championship.

"We knew how important getting that inside lane was and that's what we wanted," Kennedy said. "There are some great drivers and we had battles all weekend long but I knew that if we could earn that lane one distinction, we were in good shape and once we nailed that start we knew we were in control and I couldn't be happier."

Bernard finished second while Kevin Eacret was third in the GP-10 The Charger.

King finished fourth, Kent Henderson was fifth in the GP-71 Miss Liberty and Greg Hopp was sixth in the GP-15 Old Trapper Beef Jerky. Coupled with his win in Guntersville, Alabama, Kennedy has now taken control of the Grand Prix Challenge, a

GRAND PRIX HOOSIER NATIONALS RESULTS

- GRAND PRIX HOOSIER NATIONALS**
Oho River at Madison, Ind.
- Results
Length: 1.25 miles (no speeds available)
- FINAL HEAT Sunday, July 7**
1. Bobby Kennedy, GP-35 River City Printing; 2. Jeff Bernard, GP-79 Damm Family Bad Influence; 3. Kevin Eacret, GP-10 The Charger; 4. Bobby King, GP-50 Freedom; 5. Kent Henderson, GP-71 Miss Liberty; 6. Greg Hopp, GP-15 Old Trapper Beef Jerky.
- PRELIMINARY HEATS Saturday, July 6**
- HEAT 1A**
1. Brandon Kennedy, GP-35 River City Printing; 2. Ken Lupton, GP-577 Lupton Motorsports; 3. Jack Lupton, GP-33 Lupton Motorsports; 4. Greg Hopp, GP-15 Old Trapper Beef Jerky; Tylor Echols, GP-17 Miss Renee, DNS.
- HEAT 1B**
1. Jeff Bernard, GP-79 Damm Family Bad Influence; 2. Kevin Eacret, GP-10 The Charger; Kent Henderson, GP-71 Miss Liberty, DNF; Bobby King,
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SEE **SWEEPS/PAGE B2**

PRO-LITE



Above: Dillon Goodell (40) passes Rob Betke (55) on the final lap to win the Pro-Lite Series race on the Ohio River on Sunday. Right: Dillon Goodell celebrates after winning the Pro-Lite Series final heat on Sunday on the Ohio River.



Photos/David Campbell

Sandlin three-peats for record 8th 10K win

Geary runs first among females

BY BOB DEMAREE
Local distance runner Kristopher Sandlin added another win to his legendary dominance of the Madison Firecracker 10K Saturday by posting his second three-peat and record eighth win overall.
But Sandlin the coach was quick to share the stage with his female counterpart, who he noted is a rising talent in running.
He said Kirsten Geary, a former runner at Southwestern, had gone on to college and experienced success she had never achieved in high school with eye-opening performances coming ever since.



Bob Demaree

Kirsten Geary of Lexington, Indiana, crossing the finish line at Saturday's Firecracker 10K. Geary, a 2022 graduate of Southwestern High School, has run the last two years at Georgetown College and will be going to Millikin University this fall.



Bob Demaree

Kristopher Sandlin of Madison at the finish line of Saturday's Firecracker 10K. Sandlin, winner of the race for the eighth time, achieved his second three-peat. He won with a time of 31:51.



Bob Demaree

The top three male finishers in Saturday's Firecracker 10K were (from left) Kinley Kunkel, Bedford, Kentucky second place; Kristen Geary, Lexington, Indiana, first place; and Lanie Nicholson, Versailles, third place.



Bob Demaree

The top three male finishers in Saturday's Firecracker 10K were (from left) Collin Zollman, Scottsburg, second place; Kristopher Sandlin, Madison, first place; and Conner Watson, Greenwood, third place.

SWEEPS

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cross-over event between the Grand Prix America and Hydro Racing League classes. The Challenge, which features a top prize of \$20,000 for the winner, culminates in Valleyfield, Quebec this

coming weekend. Kennedy won the coveted Valleyfield trophy last year and is hoping to repeat and finish off the Challenge sweep. "That's the mega one for boat racing. Everybody wants to win there and I've been fortunate to win there," Kennedy said. "It's hard when you've got a target on your back this big so we'll go and see if we can keep it going."

RESULTS

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GP-50 Freedom, DNS.

- HEAT 2A
1. Brandon Kennedy, GP-35 River City Printing; 2. Bobby King, GP-50 Freedom; 3. Kevin Eacret, GP-10 The Charger; Tylor Echols, GP-17, DNS.
HEAT 2B
1. Jack Lupton, GP-33 Lupton Motorsports; 2. Jeff Bernard, GP-79 Damm Family Bad Influence; 3. Greg

- Hopp, GP-15 Old Trapper Beef Jerky; Kent Henderson, GP-71 Miss Liberty, DNS.
Sunday, July 7
HEAT 3A
1. Brandon Kennedy, GP-35 River City Printing; 2. Greg Hopp, GP-15 Old Trapper Beef Jerky; Jack Lupton, GP-33 Lupton Motorsports, DNF.
HEAT 3B
1. Bobby King, GP-50 Freedom; 2. Kevin Eacret, GP-10 The Charger; Jeff Bernard, GP-79 Damm Family Bad Influence, DNF; Kent Henderson, GP-71 Miss Liberty, DNF.

WINNERS

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- 2022 — Corey Peabody, Lynx Healthcare
2022 — Jimmy Shane, Miss HomeStreet
2023 — J. Michael Kelly, Beacon Electric
2024 — Andrew Tate, Goodman Real Estate
-APBA Gold Cup ...

- 2012|Seattle, Wash.|Oh Boy! Oberto|Steve David
2012|San Diego, Calif.|Oh Boy! Oberto|Steve David
2013|Sacramento, Calif.|Oh Boy! Oberto|Steve David
2013|Tri-Cities, Wash.|Oh Boy! Oberto|Steve David
2014|Detroit, Mich.|Oberto|Jimmy Shane
2014|Tri-Cities, Wash.|Oberto|Jimmy Shane
2015|Tri-Cities, Wash.|Oberto|Jimmy Shane
2015|Detroit, Mich.|Oberto|Jimmy Shane
2015|San Diego, Calif.|Oberto|Jimmy Shane
2016|Madison, Ind.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2016|Tri-Cities, Wash.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2016|San Diego, Calif.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2017|Seattle, Wash.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2017|Detroit, Mich.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2018|Madison, Ind.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2019|Guntersville, Ala.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2019|Madison, Ind.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2021|Madison, Ind.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2022|Madison, Ind.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2022|Tri-Cities, Wash.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2022|Seattle, Wash.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2022|San Diego, Calif.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2022|San Diego, Calif.|HomeStreet Bank|Jimmy Shane
2024|Guntersville, Ala.|Goodman Real Estate|Andrew Tate
2024|Madison, Ind.|Goodman Real Estate|Andrew Tate

MADISON REGATTA RESULTS

MADISON REGATTA
2.5-mile Ohio River Course
Madison, Indiana

H1 UNLIMITED INDIANA GOVERNOR'S CUP

- Results
Length: 2.5 miles
FINAL HEAT
Sunday, July 7
1. Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison, 145.049 mph; 2. J. Michael Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, 141.847; 3. Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, 135.205; 4. Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, 133.912; Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, DNF.
Fast Lap: Tate, No. 1, 148.345.
Preliminary Heats
Saturday, July 6
HEAT 1
1. Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, 142.884; 2. J. Michael Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, 141.959; 3. Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate, 141.033; 4. Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, 129.996.
Fast Lap: Peabody, No. 1, 144.267.

- HEAT 2
1. Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, 140.040; 2. Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, 129.645; 3. Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, 123.909; J. Michael Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, DQ.
Fast Lap: Peabody, No. 2, 141.436.
* disqualified for no technical data

- Sunday, July 7
HEAT 3
1. Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate, 146.886; 2. J. Michael Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, 142.908; 3. Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, 141.263; 4. Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, 121.764.
Fast Lap: Tate, No. 2, 149.887.
HEAT 4
1. Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, 146.749; 2. Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate, 143.978; 3. Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, 136.141; 4. Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, 126.610.
Fast Lap: Peabody, No. 2, 147.362.
HEAT 5
1. Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate, 144.181; 2. J. Michael

- Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, 137.810; 3. Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, 128.700; Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, DQ.
Fast Lap: Tate, No. 1, 145.945
* disqualified for entering the DMZ.

- FINAL QUALIFYING RESULTS
1. Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, 152.542; 2. J. Michael Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, 151.065; Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, no speed; Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, no speed; Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate, no speed.

- CURRENT POINTS STANDINGS (After 2 of 5 race)
1. Andrew Tate, U-91 Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison, 2,850; 2. J. Michael Kelly, U-1 Beacon Electric, 2,375; 3. Jamie Nilsen, U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee, 2,092; 4. Corey Peabody, U-9 Beacon Plumbing, 2,014; 5. Dustin Echols, U-40 Bucket List Racing, 1,576; 6. Dave Villwock, U-27 Miss Apollo, 744.

TATE

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Nilsen ran fourth and Echols did not finish the final after starting from the trailer position.
The incident in the final was Peabody's second in as many heats. In Heat 5, he spun out in lane one while dueling with Tate and was disqualified for going into the DMZ.
It is the third-straight year that Peabody has suffered an incident on the Ohio River course. In 2022, he flipped on the front stretch trying to run down Jimmy Shane and the Miss HomeStreet Bank/Miss Madison and last year he spun out in the first turn, damaging the boat.
"We tried a few shenanigans in that first turn and it didn't work out," Peabody said. "It was 100% my fault, again. I'm kind of getting sick of saying that."
With only five boats in the field, a total of five preliminary heats were run with Peabody winning three races and Tate winning two.
Tate leaves Madison Regatta with 2,850 points and a 475-point lead over Kelly in the National High Points Standings. Nilsen



Bob Demaree

Goodman Real Estate/Miss Madison driver Andrew Tate (right) gets a kiss from Madison Regatta Queen Riley Poling after winning the Madison Regatta on Sunday.

sits third 758 points back and Peabody is fourth 836 points back.
The H1 Unlimited Series now

swings west for the final three races of the season, starting with the Columbia Cup in the Tri-Cities, Washington July 26-28.



The U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee (left), the U-91 Goodman Real Estate (middle) and the U-1 Beacon Electric (right) cross the start line during a preliminary heat on Sunday. David Campbell

HYDRO ACTION



David Campbell
Dave Villwock (left), the sport's all-time winingest driver, and U-3 Go3 Racing owner Ed Cooper Jr. watch the action from the pits on Saturday.



Right: The U-40 Bucket List Racing, Goodman Real Estate, Beacon Plumbing and Beacon Electric (from left) scream down the backstretch while milling for lane position before a heat on Saturday. David Campbell



David Campbell
Andrew Tate gives the "hang loose" sign after winning Heat 5 of the Madison Regatta on Sunday.



David Campbell
Goodman Real Estate Cockpit Specialist Cindy Shirley (right) shows Indiana Governor Eric Holcomb the boats controls on Sunday.



David Campbell
Jamie Nilsen drives the U-11 Miss Mercurys Coffee on the frontstretch during qualifying on Friday.

3 Italians make Wimbledon quarterfinals

BY KEN MAGUIRE
ASSOCIATED PRESS

LONDON — Lorenzo Musetti just needed a little time to adjust.

To life and to 6-foot-8 Giovanni Mpetshi Perri-card's serve.

Musetti advanced to the first Grand Slam quarterfinals of his career on Monday at Wimbledon by beating the 21-year-old Frenchman 4-6, 6-3, 6-3, 6-2.

Musetti joins No. 1 Jan-nik Sinner and women's No. 7 Jasmine Paolini in collectively making Italian history: it's the first time three Italians have reached the quarterfinals at the same Grand Slam.

The No. 25-seeded Musetti dropped to the grass when Mpetshi Perri-card sent a forehand long to end a 30-stroke rally and

the match. His back to the ground, the 22-year-old Italian's chest heaved.

After an up-and-down season, Musetti is on quite a roll a the All England Club. He became a father in March.

"It's been almost a year, really challenging with a lot of new experiences with the pregnancy of my girlfriend, and becoming a father. A lot of things happened and changed," Musetti said in an on-court interview.

"I needed more time to find a balance on every-thing."

He needed a set to find a balance on the hard-serv-

ing Mpetshi Perri-card, who amassed 105 aces in three victories to reach the fourth round. Monday was his birthday.

Musetti converted five of 15 break point opportu-nities. "Such a big day for me. I'm really happy and proud of this win against a really tough opponent. I struggled a little bit at the beginning — huge serve," he said. "You can imagine how tough it is to return on that. I'm a little bit shak-ing still."

Musetti will next face either No. 4 Alexander Zverev or No. 13 Taylor Fritz.

No. 9 Alex de Minaur

reached his first Wimble-don quarterfinal by elimi-nating 20-year-old Arthur Fils of France 6-2, 6-4, 4-6, 6-3. The 25-year-old Aus-tralian will next face either seven-time Wimbledon champion Novak Djokovic or No. 15 Holger Rune.

De Minaur was walking gingerly after closing out the match with a forehand volley winner.

"I'll be alright. I'll find a way," he said in an on-court interview.

On the women's side, No. 21 Elina Svitolina of Ukraine beat Wang Xinyu 6-2, 6-1 on a "very difficult day " for her home coun-try. A major Russian mis-

sile attack across Ukraine killed dozens and injured more than 150 people, offi-cials said.

Svitolina will play 2022 Wimbledon champion Elena Rybakina in the quarterfinals.

Rybakina, the No. 4 seed, advanced earli-er Monday when Anna Kalinskaya retired in the second set because of an injury. Rybakina was leading 6-3, 3-0 when the 17th-seeded Kalinskaya stopped playing. Kalinska-ya had taken a medical timeout in the first set, with attention paid to her neck and right forearm.

Rybakina has now won

18 of 20 matches in her career at the All England Club to join Ann Jones and Steffi Graf as the only players in the Open Era to have a 90% win rate in women's singles at Wim-bledon.

The 25-year-old Rybak-ina is the highest-seeded woman remaining in the draw.

"My serve helps me a lot and especially when the roof is closed there is no wind, no conditions, so it's perfect for my game," she said after hitting seven aces. "I'm really happy the way I played my last two matches, so really enjoying my time here."

US men's Olympic soccer adds 3

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

NEW YORK — Defend-ers Miles Robinson and Walker Zimmerman along with midfielder Djord-je Mihailovic will be the three overage players on the 18-man U.S. Olympic men's soccer roster after failing to get used by the senior national team at the Copa America.

Olympic soccer is lim-ited to players under 23, with each team allowed three over the age limit.

The U.S. wild card picks are all from Major League Soccer; FIFA does not require clubs to release players for the Olympics.

Maximilian Dietz, a defender with Germa-ny's second-tier Greuther Furth, was added by coach Marko Mitrovic after missing the June training camp ahead of a 2-0 exhibition loss to Japan. He had been with U-23 team in October and March.

Ten players were dropped from the June roster: defenders Jalen Neal, Bryan Reynolds and Jonathan Tomkinson; midfielders Cole Bas-sett, Aidan Morris and Rokas Pukštas; and for-wards Esmir Bajraktarevic, Cade Cowell, Damion Downs and Johan Gomez.

The U.S. men are in the Olympic soccer tournament for the first time since 2008 and will train in Bordeaux start-ing Tuesday. They open on July 24 against host France, then meet New Zealand and Guinea. The top two nations in each group advance to the quarterfinals.

Fifteen players have appeared with the senior national team for a total of 114 international appearances.

Zimmerman, a 31-year-old on Nashville, has 42 international appearanc-es and last played for the U.S. against Canada in the June 2023 CON-CACAF Nations League final.

Zimmerman captained the national team nine times and played in all four American matches at the 2022 World Cup, starting three.

Robinson, a 27-year-old on Cincinnati, was on the U.S. roster for the Copa America but didn't get any playing time as the Americans were eliminat-ed in the group stage.

He has 29 internation-al appearances, scoring the extra-time goal that beat Mexico in the 2021 CONCACAF Gold Cup final. He missed the 2022 World Cup while recover-ing from a torn left Achil-les tendon.

Mihailovic, a 25-year-old on Colorado, has three goals in 11 inter-

national appearances but hasn't played for the national team since the loss to Panama in the July 2023 CONCACAF Gold Cup semifinal.

Others with senior national team experience are midfielder Gianluca Busio (13 appearances); defender John Tolkin (four); defender Kevin Paredes (three); forward Taylor Booth, midfielder Tanner Tessmann and defender Caleb Wikey (two each); and for-ward Paxten Aaronson, defender Benjamin Cre-maschi, midfielder Jack McGlynn, forward Dun-can McGuire and goal-keepers Patrick Schulte and Gaga Slonina (one apiece).

Dietz, defender Nathan Harriel and forward Griffin Yow have never played for the senior team.

Cremaschi at 19 is the youngest player and also is age eligible for the 2028 Los Angeles Olym-pics.

Ten players are from MLS, two each from newly promoted Venezia in Italy and the Dutch Eredivisie and one each from the Premier League, the German Bundesli-ga, the Germany second tier and Belgium's top tier. All but Dietz played in MLS at some point or in an MLS development academy.

Omissions includ-ed Chicago goalkeeper Chris Brady, Salt Lake midfielder Diego Luna and Dallas winger Ber-nard Kamungo.

THE ROSTER

Goalkeepers: Patrick Schulte (Columbus), Gaga Slonina (Chelsea, England)

Defenders: Maximilian Dietz (Greuther Fürth, Germany), Nathan Har-riel (Philadelphia), Miles Robinson (Cincinnati), John Tolkin (New York Red Bulls), Caleb Wiley (Atlanta), Walker Zim-merman (Nashville)

Midfielders: Gianluca Busio (Venezia, Italy), Benjamin Cremaschi (Miami), Jack McGlynn (Philadelphia), Djordje Mihailovic (Colorado), Tanner Tessmann (Vene-zia, Italy)

Forwards: Paxten Aar-onson (Utrecht, Neth-erlands), Taylor Booth (Utrecht, Netherlands), Duncan McGuire (Orlan-do), Kevin Paredes (Wolfsburg, Germany), Griffin Yow (Westerlo, Belgium)

Alternates: goalkeep-er John Pulskamp (Kan-sas City), defender Jacob Davis (Kansas City), midfielder Josh Atencio (Seattle), forward Johan Gomez (Eintracht Braun-schweig, Germany)

Rybakina has now won 18 of 20 matches in her career at the All England Club to join Ann Jones and Steffi Graf as the only players in the Open Era to have a 90% win rate in women's singles at Wimbledon.

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3 WAVE	6	2	WAV..	NBCN..	WAV..	News	Got Talent "Auditions 6" (N)			Password (N)		WAV..		
4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBSN..	BigBa..	Sheldon	FBI		FBI: Int "Gift"		FBI-Wanted		CBS4..	
5 WLWT	2		News	NBCN..	WLWT	Hollyw..	Got Talent "Auditions 6" (N)			Password (N)		News		
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Inside..	ET (N)	Conners	Conners	Conners	Conners	News (N)		News	
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	Extra	Celebrity (N)		Celebrity (SP)		Celebrity Fam		News	
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Inside..	Celebrity (N)		Celebrity (SP)		Celebrity Fam		News	
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	PBS News (N)		Roots		Experience		VOCES (SP)		BBCN..	
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopar..	Shazam (N)		Quiz-Balls (N)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19	
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBSN..	Wheel	Jeopar..	FBI		FBI: Int "Gift"		FBI-Wanted		News	
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Conners	Conners	Conners	Conners	BigBa..	Sheldon	LastM..	
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	FamFe..	FamFe..	Shazam (N)		Quiz-Balls (N)		News (N) (Live)		News	
A&E	28	36	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Neighb..	Custo..	Custo..	Neighb..	
AMC	29	26	(5:30) ♣♣ Major League II ('94)				♣♣♣ Police Academy ('84)				♣ Police Academy 2: The...			
COM	45	59	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	DailyS..	
DISC	31	38	Jaws vs. Kraken		Makozilla		Deadliest (N)		6000 LB S (N)		(:05) Monster (N)		Cocaine	
DISN	25	29	Bluey	Big City	Big City	Big City	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Hailey	Hailey	Raven	
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		NBA Salt Lake League				The Ulti		The Ulti (N)		SportC..	
FREE	18	40	(4:30) ♣ Sorcerer...		♣♣♣♣ Cast Away Helen Hunt, Tom Hanks.							Sasha Re (N) (P)		700Club
FX	40	28	(5:30) ♣♣♣ Uncharted ('22)				♣♣♣ Jumanji: The Next Level ('19)					♣ Jumanji: Nex...		
HBO	201	17	(3:50) ♣ Lord of t...		(:10) ♣♣♣♣ The Dark Knight Rises ('12)					Hard		(:40) House Dg		
MAX	270	73	(:15) ♣♣♣ Yes Man ('08)				♣ Cirque du Freak: Vam...				(:50) ♣♣ Hitman: Agent 47 ('15)			
NEWSNTN	20	20	The Hill (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo	
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	♣ Movie					♣ Movie		
PARSHO	221	16	Movie	♣ Out of Darkness ('22)				Travelers			♣♣♣♣ Rocketman ('19)		Movie	
TMC	233	74	(:15) ♣ Rumba Love ('21)				♣♣♣♣ True Grit ('10)				♣♣♣♣ We Were Soldiers			
TNT	27	43	(5:00) ♣♣♣ Aquaman ('18)				Hillsong: A		(:15) Hillsong: A				Hillsong: A	
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		WWE NXT (N) (Live)				(:10) ♣ Clash of the Titans			

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4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBSN..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Price Is Right		Real CSI (N)		Real CSI (N)		CBS4..	
5 WLWT	2		News	NBCN..	WLWT	Hollyw..	Chicago Med		Chicago Fire		Chicago P.D.		News	
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Inside..	ET (N)	Police 24/7		Wild Cards		News (N)		News	
9 WCPO	23		News	World..	News	Extra	Million (N) (SP)		Claim to (SP)		Shark Tank		News	
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Inside..	Million (N) (SP)		Claim to (SP)		Shark Tank		News	
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	PBS News (N)		Dynamic (N) (F)		NOVA		Scattered Denial		BBCN..	
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopar..	MasterChef (N)		Food Stars (N)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19	
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBSN..	Wheel	Jeopar..	Price Is Right		Real CSI (N)		Real CSI (N)		News	
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Police 24/7		Wild Cards		BigBa..	Sheldon	LastM..	
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	FamFe..	FamFe..	MasterChef (N)		Food Stars (N)		News (N) (Live)		News	
A&E	28	36	Court..	Court..	Court..	Court..	Court..	Court..	Court..	Court..	Arrest	Arrest	Court..	
AMC	29	26	(5:15) ♣♣♣♣	Ocean's Thirteen			♣♣♣♣ Ocean's Eleven ('01)			♣ Ocean's Twelve				
COM	45	59	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	SouthP..	Mike	Mike	DailyS..	
DISC	31	38	Expedition		Belly of the		Great (N)		Expedition (N)		(:05) Alien (N)		Air Ja..	
DISN	25	29	Bluey	Big City	Big City	Big City	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	Marvel..	Hailey	Hailey	Jessie	
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		MLB Baseball						Home Run (N)		SportC..	
FREE	18	40	♣♣♣♣ Monsters, Inc. ('01)				♣♣♣♣ Monsters University ('13)				Royal..		700Club	
FX	40	28	(5:30) ♣ Talladega Nights: Ballad of...				♣♣♣♣ Step Brothers ('08)				♣♣♣♣ Step Brothers ('08)			
HBO	201	17	Hard	(:55) ♣♣♣ Black Adam ('22)				♣ Quad Gods ('24) (P)				Hard	House..	
MAX	270	73	(5:50) ♣ Manchurian Candidate				♣♣♣♣ Straight Outta Compton ('15)				♣ Killing Me So...			
NEWSNTN	20	20	The Hill (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo	
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	♣♣♣♣ World War Z ('13) Brad Pitt.				♣♣♣♣ Shooter			
PARSHO	221	16	(:15) ♣♣♣♣ Rocky Balboa ('06)			♣♣♣♣ Die Hard ('88)					(:15) ♣♣♣♣ Die Hard 2			
TMC	233	74	(:10) ♣♣♣♣ Tropic Thunder ('08)			♣♣♣♣ Secret in Their Eyes ('15)			♣♣♣♣ An Acceptable Loss					
TNT	27	43	Supernatural		♣♣♣ We're the Millers ('13)					(:15) ♣♣♣♣ My Cousin Vinny ('92)				
USA	26	33	Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-SVU		Law-S..	

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4 WTTV	4		CBS4..	CBSN..	BigBa..	Sheldon	Sheldon	Ghosts	Elsbeth		Fire Country		CBS4..	
5 WLWT	2		News	NBCN..	WLWT	Hollyw..	Law "Facade"		Law-SVU		Law & Order		News	
8 WISH	12		News (N)		Inside..	ET (N)	Conners	Conners	Master..	Animals	News (N)		News	
9 WCPO	23		News	World..		News	Extra	The 2024 ESPYS	(N) (Live)				News	
11 WHAS	11	4	News	World..	ET (N)	Inside..	The 2024 ESPYS (N) (Live)						News	
15 WKPC	13		Ameri..	Edition	PBS News (N)		Antiques		Doc Martin		Father Brown		BBCN..	
19 WXIX	10		FOX19	FOX19	Wheel	Jeopar..	Don't Forget the		Lyrics! (N)		FOX19 (N)		FOX19	
32 WLKY	5	5	News	CBSN..	Wheel	Jeopar..	Sheldon	Ghosts	Elsbeth		Fire Country		News	
34 WBKI	7	7	Neighb..	House..	Sheldon	BigBa..	Conners	Conners	Master..	Animals	BigBa..	Sheldon	LastM..	
41 WDRB	8	9	News	News	FamFe..	FamFe..	Don't Forget the		Lyrics! (N)		News (N)		News	
A&E	28	36	The First 48		The First 48		The First 48 (N)		60 Days In (N)		Inmate to (N)		First48	
AMC	29	26	(5:15) **** Ocean's Eleven ('01)		**** The Bourne Identity ('02)						* Bourne Supr...			
COM	45	59	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	Office	SouthP..	
DISC	31	38	Extinct or Alive		Expedition		Monster (N)		Caught! (N)		(:(05) Great (N)		SerialK	
DISN	25	29	Bluey	Big City	Big City	Big City	Ladyb..	Ladyb..	ZOM..	ZOM..	Hailey	Hailey	Jessie	
ESPN	32	44	SportCtr (N)		SportsCenter		ESPN Films		X Games		X Games (N)		SportC...	
FREE	18	40	Movie	**** Wreck-It Ralph ('12)			**** Ralph Breaks the			Internet ('18)			700Club	
FX	40	28	Movie	**** Star Wars: The Last Jedi ('17) Mark Hamill.									* Star Wars: Rise of Sky...	
HBO	201	17	Movie	* Quad Gods ('24)			* Godzilla x Kong: New Empire			(:(55) * The Sixth Sense				
MAX	270	73	(:(15) * Jack Ryan: Shadow Recruit				***** Aliens ('86)				(:(20) * Amityville Horror			
NEWSNTN	20	20	The Hill (N)		On Balance (N)		Cuomo (N)		Dan Abrams		Banfield (N)		Cuomo	
PARMT	35	41	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	TwoM..	*** Shooter ('07) Michael Peña, Mark Wahlberg.							Movie
PARSHO	221	16	Movie	(:(45) **** Cloverfield			(:(10) **** 10 Cloverfield Lane			**** Pearl ('22)				
TMC	233	74	(:(15) * On the Edge ('22)				**** Super 8 ('11)			* Dangerous Game: Leg...				
TNT	27	43	(5:30) **** My Cousin Vinny				**** Ace Ventura: Pet Detective			* Ace Ventura: When N...				
USA	26	33	*** Mission: Impossible ('96)					**** Mission: Impossible II (P)					Movie	

THE Daily Commuter Puzzle

by Stella Zawistowski

ACROSS

1 ___ and crafts

5 Actor Arnaz

9 Kindergarten basics

13 Business attire

14 Moved on all fours

15 Bird's wing movement

16 Thought

17 Subsidies

18 Quality of a voice

19 Classic carnival ride: 2 wds.

22 Pro's opposite

23 "Kampground" chain: Abbr.

24 Shrouded in secrecy

26 Watering hole

29 Very angry

32 Sports venue

34 UPS competitor

35 Hardwood trees

39 Second attempt

40 Compete

41 Plant's anchor

42 Sunrise direction

43 USCG officer: Abbr.

44 Place to shop

45 Strong coffee drink

49 ___ Year's Eve

50 Leave the premises: 2 wds.

53 Letter's second afterthought: Abbr.

55 ___ or nothing

56 Tire brand

62 Sacred ceremony

64 Newton of physics

65 Do as you're told

66 Male deer

67 Belgrade natives

68 Valentine's flower

69 Protagonist

70 Disapproving noises

71 Pigsty

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1 "___ I care!": 2 wds.

2 Impolite

3 Cake layer

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Today's Puzzle Solved

S	S	E	W			S	K	S	L	O	R	E	H		
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44 Soaks in gravy

46 Cry loudly

47 Strict rule-follower

48 Design details, for short

50 Unpleasantly severe

51 Aristocracy

52 Table in a church

54 Foul weather

57 Unlit

58 Chats constantly

59 Double-reed instrument

60 Loch ___ Monster

61 Looks over

63 Selfhood

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ACROSS

1 Gush (forth)

5 Consign to hell

9 As well

13 "To err is ___"

15 Sneaker brand

16 Wild pig

17 Answer to "Who's there?": 3 wds.

18 Shipped

19 Event with bargains

20 1957 Ayn Rand novel: 2 wds.

23 Sheep's sound

24 Observed

25 Reduce

30 Available to work: 2 wds.

34 Group concerned with clean air: Abbr.

35 Shakespearean king

37 Spine-tingling

38 Date tree

40 Fills up

42 Japanese noodle type

43 Like draft beer: 2 wds.

45 Lease

46 Grads-to-be: Abbr.

47 Has a sip of

49 Close race: 2 wds.

52 Knicks or Kings, e.g.

54 "Golly!"

55 Full of compassion

61 Indigent

63 "That's not a bad ___"

64 Geeky

65 Apple's center

66 ___ of approval

67 Military strategy

68 Get rid of

69 Like skyscrapers

70 Require

DOWN

1 Branch of Islam

2 Short golf shot

3 Actor Jannings

4 Sushi seasoning

5 Bit of salt

6 Declare as fact

7 Negative aspect

8 Channel with science shows, for short

9 Attendance book entries

10 Fill with cargo

11 Actor Mineo

12 Mined resource

14 Jewish calendar month

21 Travels by schooner

22 Unit of heredity

25 Bus terminal

26 Classic toothpaste brand

27 Soda fountain orders

28 Cook on a grill

29 Detested

31 Came up

32 Zodiac scales

33 Last but not ___

36 Descartes of philosophy

39 Meant something

41 Theater area

44 Hammer part

48 Inflictor of pain

50 College officials

51 Found at this place

53 Wife of Jason, in myth

55 Ripped

56 Actual

57 College dining room

58 Family diagram

59 Razor part

60 Artificially colored

61 Mac alternatives: Abbr.

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V	B	O	S			S	E	L	V	S		W	T	V	d
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Boss won't stop bringing up age

Dear Eric: I am a 50-year-old technology worker. My boss is in her early 40s. She has made comments that are not my business about coworkers in their 60s and said they "should retire." Needless to say, I'm not too far behind those folks in age.

I get Botox, filler, color my hair, diet and exercise and keep up on all the latest technology. However, like everyone who isn't a vampire, I'm aging. I've had some health issues, and I will need to work until at least 65 to pay for my health insurance and medications. The earliest I could even receive Social Security is still 12 years away!

I feel anxious about losing my job because I'm too "old." Widespread ageism is common in the tech industry, where youth is highly celebrated — it's not just my boss. Is there a gentle way to remind people that age is not a topic that should come up in the workplace unless it is specifically related to succession or retirement planning? Do I just let it go?

— No More Age Talk
Dear Age: You don't have to let it go! What you're experiencing isn't fair and may cross a legal line. I reached out to human resources

expert Hannah Marks, a people and talent adviser at Culture Marks, for guidance.

"As a first step for any employees experiencing ageism in the workplace," she said, "it is key to maintain documentation of any/all instances. From there, it's always a good idea to flag the situation to your HR team. If the company is too small and doesn't yet have an HR team (often the case in tech), bringing this up to a manager or senior leader is another good option. In more severe cases, or when HR/senior leadership has failed to appropriately address the situation, employees have the right to seek legal counsel."

You do have resources, even if the culture of your workplace suggests otherwise. The Age Discrimination in Employment Act specifically forbids age discrimination against people who are age 40 or older.

If you want to learn more about the law and your options for reporting, I'd encourage you to visit the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission's website. They have a whole section dedicated to age discrimination and ways to combat it.

Lastly, any boss who would rather put older employees out to pasture than benefit from their experience is going to have a rude awakening in a few years.



ERIC ADAMS
ASKING ERIC

Former friend can't shake ghosting guilt

Dear Eric: I did a bad thing — I ghosted a friend. The friendship made me uncomfortable. I thought he had romantic feelings for me, or maybe he just wanted more from the relationship than I did. Since I had moved to a different city, I became very slow to respond to texts/calls and basically stopped. Then the pandemic hit, and he reached out to see if I was OK, and I did not respond. This was cruel. I think about it regularly and have spent therapy dollars talking about it, and still I have done nothing. I hurt someone who cared about me, and I want to apologize for that, but I don't want to open the door to a relationship. Can you help?

— Disappearing Friend
Dear Friend: You may have ghosted, but you're the one being haunted. The way to exorcize your guilt is to own up to your part and see if there's a way to make amends. That being said, it's important to listen to your initial discomfort. You're not obligated to put yourself in a position that could harm you as recompense for an unkind act. So proceed with caution here — make a script with your therapist and figure out what your goals actually are. You don't want to reestablish a connection — you just want to clear the air.

Consider a letter instead of a phone call or text. I think you're holding yourself to a stricter standard than you need to and causing yourself misery. Friendships ebb and flow all the time. Sometimes the hardest part is acknowledging that a connection has changed or doesn't feel right anymore. I asked Anna Goldfarb, author of "Modern Friendship: How to Nurture Our Most Valued Connections" and the Substack newsletter Friendship Explained, for a helpful script:

"I like the 'gracious, direct and warm' method when declining invitations," Goldfarb said. "Thank you for reaching out, Becky [gracious], but I'm not available to get together for lunch this week [direct]. Have a great day! [warm]. Repeat as necessary."

By the way, when talking about your situation with Anna, she had a different read than I did. It's worth considering: "Studies show social rejection hurts as much as physical pain, so you feel like you've harmed him and are wracked with guilt. But I'm not convinced an apology is in order. We are not morally obligated to respond to sporadic unsolicited messages from acquaintances who live in other cities. That's the risk this friend took in texting you out of the blue; you may not respond."

What you want to focus on is your emotional health and well-being. Sometimes, we don't get it right when communicating with other people. We can always apologize and try to do better, but you don't have to torture yourself with what you imagine is your former friend's emotional state.



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ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Balance is the key to making the most of your daily tasks. Consider embarking on a plan of action that's just right for you and your goals. Whether it's a good read or a cup of tea, find joy in your down time.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — You've got the drive to excel. Your blend of vigor, ingenuity, and charm might help to propel you forward when others may be caught up in indecision. Be prepared to dive in and test the waters.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Past mistakes might sneak up on you, but fear not. Your good judgment could kick in, allowing you to make appropriate corrections and set things right. A sincere apology can go a long way.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — While enthusiasm fuels creativity, remember that details matter. Your goal may emerge from meticulous planning and action. Don't let the shiny distractions obscure your values and overall desires.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Different circles follow different rules. You may treat your inner circle with the warmth they deserve, distinct from the formality of business interactions. Don't hesitate to offer up or accept kindness from others.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Choose between being practical or understanding. Someone close may expect businesslike competence when communicating with you. Love and affection are personal; avoid mixing business with pleasure.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — A clear vision, realistic goals, and a solid plan may take you far. You may feel called to discuss business matters with your support system but let a little consideration and kindness ease any tensions.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Pay attention to the details and consider looking over your finances. Be careful as an old issue might pop up to challenge the stability of a close relationship. Your efficiency may set you apart from the crowd.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Be proactive rather than reactive. You can find valuable lessons in criticism. Solve potential issues with your charm and persuasive skills, making everyone around you feel comfortable.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — You may be reminded to focus on sound strategies and practices. Kindness might help you reveal your most guarded vulnerabilities, especially when interacting with those closest to you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — Glitz and glam may catch your eye. It could be wise to save your money for things that have more meaning to you. Having the patience to avoid impulsive purchases can pay off over time.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — Pay attention to the small details; they might be just what you need to make strides towards your goals. Consider finding new ways to handle your duties more efficiently to allot more time for fun.

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ASTROLOGY

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Your loyalties may be questioned but it's nothing you can't easily shrug off. However, the recognition you may have expected from your role in group gatherings could turn out to be only a temporary part.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — There may be plenty of positivity in your well of bubbling optimism just waiting to be shared, consider soothing those who may have had a tough week. Love and affection could be top of mind.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Determined work could yield positive results. After a rigorous effort to get a handle on expenses, improved finances may soon follow. Having an abundance of resources doesn't mean you must spend them.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Give distractions the cold shoulder and keep your focus sharp. Success may be ensured if you stick to your routine and try to be more understanding. Kindheartedness may attract more people.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — It's a day for patience, especially when dealing with a variety of opinions. Shift your focus to what may seem important right now and let the rest slide. Joint ventures could receive a turbo boost.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — You may find that your freedom depends upon the number and seriousness of your commitments. If single, consider waiting for the right moment to pursue romance and it may become something.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) — Collaborate with the right partner and both of you might enjoy a winning streak. That sparkle in your eyes is magnetic. Trustworthy companions may share your dreams and help you make them come true.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) — Wish upon a star and you might get what you wished for. You may feel free to express your desires in exclusive collaborations. Enjoy a sentimental journey while close ties are heightened by harmony.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) — Expand your horizons by widening your social circle and meeting people who possess a treasure trove of contrasting experiences. Your generosity may spark generosity and tolerance from others.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Be deliberate in your analysis and take time before speaking. When faced with a round of serious conversations, remember that patience may be just the virtue you need to make crucial decisions.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) — The stars might tempt you to take a leap of faith with your finances or your heart, but sometimes it may be wiser to watch from the sidelines. Education and travel can open a smooth path to success.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) — You might find new ways to streamline tasks. Clear the decks, and then you might turn your thoughts to love. This may not be the time to let your impulses take the lead if proposed changes affect your budget.

Skubal fans career-high 13 as Tigers sweep Reds

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
CINCINNATI — Tarik Skubal struck out a career-high 13 in seven innings, Zach McKinstry hit a two-run homer and the Detroit Tigers swept a series for the first time since late May, beating the Cincinnati Reds 5-1 on Sunday afternoon.

Skubal (10-3) was sharp, mixing a fastball in the upper-90s with a changeup to keep Reds hitters on their heels. He allowed just three hits and walked no one. Cincinnati's only run came on a seventh-inning groundout. After the Tigers relied on relievers for the entire game Saturday, Skubal said

he went out with the goal of eating up as many innings as he could. The Reds came off a sweep of the Yankees in New York earlier this week only to lose three straight to a sub-.500 team at home.

TIGERS 5, REDS 4
Rookie Colt Keith homered twice, Parker Meadows and Riley Greene also went deep and the Detroit Tigers held off the Cincinnati Reds 5-4 on Friday night. Meadows led off the third with a 410-foot homer to right field. After Reds center fielder Stuart Fairchild's

catch robbed Matt Vierling of an extra-base hit, Keith hit one out to almost the same spot as Meadows in the right-field seats. Keith then had a two-run shot in the fifth, and Greene led off the seventh with his team-leading 17th homer, another deep shot to right field. Spencer Steer led off the Reds' fifth with a 425-foot homer into the upper deck in left field, but Olson struck out the next five batters he faced. He was relieved in the sixth after Jonathan India scored from second on shortstop Ryan Kreidler's wild throw to

first on Jeimer Candelario's ground ball. Cincinnati starter Carson Spiers managed only 4 2/3 innings, allowing four runs and eight hits. He gave up three of Detroit's four homers.

TIGERS 5, REDS 3
Pinch-hitter Wenceel Pérez hit a two-run homer and Mark Canha doubled home the go-ahead run in the eighth inning as the Detroit Tigers locked up their first series win in two weeks, rallying to beat the Cincinnati Reds 5-3 on Saturday. The Tigers won the first game Friday night 5-4. They

won their first series since taking two of three from the Chicago White Sox June 21-23. The Reds were cruising along with a 2-0 lead behind starter Hunter Greene, who left after pitching seven shutout innings and not allowing a runner past first base. The trouble for Cincinnati came in the eighth against Fernando Cruz (3-6), who allowed a double to Parker Meadows and then the game-tying blow by Pérez. The Tigers put two more across in the inning on a groundout and a double by Carson Kelly.

Greene pitched another good one, to no avail. He allowed just three hits while striking out seven and walking two.

LEGAL
Historic District Board of Review Legal Notice
MEETING DATE: July 22, 2024, at 5:30 PM
MEETING PLACE: Madison City Hall, 101 W. Main Street Madison, IN 47250
A. Roll Call
B. Approval of Minutes
C. Review of Applications
• Lea Ann Williams - C. of A. to replace wooden windows with vinyl windows on rear porch.
Location: 227 W. First St.
Zoned: Historic District Residential (HDR)
D. New/Old Business
E. Staff Report
F. Adjournment
G. Next Meeting: Monday, August 26, 2024, at 5:30 PM
For the purpose of hearing those who are for or against said applications, a public hearing will be held on Monday, July 22, 2024 at 5:30 p.m. in City Hall, 101 W. Main Street, Madison, IN 47250.
This agenda is in DRAFT FORM. Open Door Law does not prohibit the public agency from changing or adding to its agenda during the meeting. As per Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act, anyone requiring an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication, should contact the Office of Planning, Preservation, & Design at 812-265-8324 as soon as possible, but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled meeting.
BY ORDER OF THE HISTORIC DISTRICT BOARD OF REVIEW
Brenna Haley, Historic Preservationist
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Skenes makes All-Stars just 8 weeks after debut

BY RONALD BLUM
AP BASEBALL WRITER
Pittsburgh Pirates pitcher Paul Skenes was picked for the All-Star Game on Sunday just eight weeks after his debut, and the major league-leading Philadelphia Phillies had a big league-high seven selections.

Skenes, who turned 22 in May, was selected by the Pirates as the top pick in last year's amateur draft, two days before the All-Star Game in Seattle. He made his first big league start on May 11 and is 5-0 with a 2.12 ERA in 10 starts and 78 strikeouts in 59 1/3 innings. He has thrown 74 pitches of 100 mph or more.

Skenes' final outing before the All-Star break is likely to be midweek, so he could be a possibility to start for the National League. "That'd be cool. No expectations," he said. "I don't know who gets to decide that kind of thing, but that'd definitely be cool."

Chicago Cubs pitcher Shota Imanaga joined Skenes and San Diego outfielder Jackson Merrill as the only rookie All-Stars for the July 16 game at Arlington, Texas.

Philadelphia pitchers Zack Wheeler, Ranger Suárez, Jeff Hoffman and Matt Strahm were picked to join three starting Phillies position players: first baseman Bryce Harper, shortstop Trea Turner and third baseman Alec Bohm.

Philadelphia has seven All-Stars for the first time, though Harper's availability depends on when he returns from a hamstring strain that has sidelined him since June 27. Wheeler is lined up to pitch for the Phillies next weekend

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and the team told Major League Baseball he won't be available for the All-Star Game.

The Los Angeles Dodgers have six All-Stars after pitcher Tyler Glasnow, catcher Will Smith, first baseman Freddie Freeman, outfielder Teoscar Hernández and injured shortstop Mookie Betts joined starting DH Shohei Ohtani on the NL roster.

Cleveland topped the AL with five after first baseman Josh Naylor, closer Emmanuel Clase and designated hitter David Fry joined a pair of starters: third baseman José Ramírez and outfielder Steven Kwan. San Diego also had five.

Atlanta pitcher Chris Sale earned his eighth All-Star selection, the first for the 36-year-old left-hander since seven straight from 2012-18. The gap is the longest for an All-Star since Albert Pujols earned his 11th trip for his final season in 2022, his first since 2015.

"It is definitely satisfying. I appreciate it for sure," said Sale, acquired by Braves from Boston in December. "They took a chance and I'm happy to be able to do this for them."

Texas closer Kirby Yates at 37 is the oldest All-Star and will be joined by second baseman Marcus Semien of the host World Series champion Rangers.

Kansas City catcher Salvador Perez was picked for

the ninth time, matching Houston second baseman Jose Altuve for the most among the 67 players on this year's rosters.

Merrill at 21 is the youngest All-Star and among 32 first-time picks.

Skenes is scheduled to have one more start for Pittsburgh, and his 11 games put him on track to have the fewest for player in an All-Star Game, according to the Elias Sports Bureau. Detroit's Mark Fidrych in 1976, the Dodgers' Hideo Nomo in 1995 and Florida's Dontrelle Willis in 2003 each had 13. (While Boston's Don Schwall had 11 at the time of the first All-Star Game in 1961, he did not appear, and he had 15 when he pitched three innings three weeks later in that year's second All-Star Game.)

San Diego outfielder Fernando Tatis Jr., elected by fans to start, will miss the game because of a stress reaction in his right thigh bone. Betts, voted in by players for his eighth straight All-Star appearance, has been out since breaking his left hand on June 16.

Cincinnati's 22-year-old speedster, Elly De La Cruz, got Betts' spot after finishing second to him on the player ballot. Skenes and San Francisco outfielder Heliot Ramos were picked by MLB to replace Wheeler and Tatis.

Starting pitchers Corbin Burnes of Baltimore, Gar-

rett Crochet of the Chicago White Sox, Tanner Houck of Boston, Seth Lugo of Kansas City and Tarik Skubal of Detroit were voted to the AL staff by players, managers and coaches along with Clase, Yates and Mason Miller of Oakland.

AL reserves picked by players included Fry, Naylor, Perez, Semien, shortstop Bobby Witt Jr. of Kansas City, third baseman Rafael Devers of Boston and outfielders Jarren Duran of Boston, Riley Greene of Detroit and Kyle Tucker of Houston.

MLB used four of its AL picks on players whose teams weren't already represented: pitchers Tyler Anderson of the Los Angeles Angels and Logan Gilbert of Seattle, shortstop Carlos Correa of Minnesota and third baseman Isaac Paredes of Tampa Bay. Pitchers Clay Holmes of the New York Yankees and Cole Ragans of Kansas City also were selected.

Glasnow, Sale, Ranger Suárez and Wheeler were voted to the NL staff along with fellow starter Reynaldo López of Atlanta, while Hoffman, Strahm and Robert Suarez of San Diego won bullpen balloting.

NL reserves voted by players were Betts, Freeman, Hernández, Merrill, Smith, second baseman Luis Arraez of San Diego, third baseman Ryan McMahon of Colorado, outfielder Bryan Reynolds of Pittsburgh and designat-

ed hitter Marcell Ozuna of Atlanta.

All six of MLB's NL selections were for players on teams still without All-Stars: pitchers Ryan Helsley of St. Louis, Imanaga, Tanner Scott of Miami and Logan Webb of San Francisco, along with shortstop CJ Abrams of Washington and first baseman Pete Alonso of the New York Mets, also an MLB pick last year.

Notable players left off include Orioles first baseman Ryan Mountcastle, second baseman Jordan Westburg, who finished second in the final round of fan balloting, and outfielder Anthony Santander, fourth in fan voting.

Catcher J.T. Realmuto and DH Kyle Schwarber, both of Philadelphia, and San Diego third baseman Manny Machado were omitted despite finishing second in the last stage of the fan balloting. Schwarber has a strained groin.

De La Cruz was prepping for the All-Star trip in his own manner.

"I'm learning Japanese to speak to Ohtani," he said through a translator.

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IN THE JEFFERSON CIRCUIT COURT
STATE OF INDIANA
IN THE MATTER OF THE PATERNITY OF
39C01-2406-JP-000026
MELANI MONSERRAT SALVADOR YERBAFRIA
SUMMONS BY PUBLICATION
THE PETITIONER TO THE RESPONDENT:
(Respondent Name): **Daniel Vazquez Gutierrez.**
(Current Address): **Unknown**
(Last known Address): **3432 W. River Birch Dr., Madison, IN 47250**
NOTICE is hereby given to Daniel Vazquez Gutierrez, whose current whereabouts are unknown, that you have been sued by Petitioner to Establish Paternity of Melani Monserrat Salvador Yerbafria. The nature of the suit against you is stated in the Petition filed June 12, 2024, which is available from the Clerk's office in the courthouse located at 300 E. Main St., Madison, IN 47250. The attorney for Petitioner is Jeffrey A. Flores at 112 E. Third Street, Madison, IN 47250. Ph: 812-265-9020. The Petition also states the relief sought or the demand made against you by the petitioner. The case is pending in the Court named above. In order to participate in the proceedings, you must enter a written answer with the Clerk of this court, which must be filed either by you or your attorney within thirty (30) days commencing the day after the Third and final notice is published. In the event you do not Answer, you may be defaulted. In the event a Decree is entered by default, it may contain a judgment against you and provisions regarding the custody of your child/children, support for your child/children, parenting time (visitation) with your child/children. The Decree may also require you to take actions or refrain from actions in order to carry out the terms of the Court's Decree. If you do not enter a written answer, you will receive no further notice of these proceedings. If you have a claim for relief against the Petitioner arising from the same transaction or occurrence, you must assert it in your written answer.
DATED: June 20, 2024
/s/ Tabatha Eblen
(SEAL)
Clerk, Jefferson Circuit Court
(The following manner of service of Summons is hereby designated)
X_ Other Service (Specify)
SERVICE BY PUBLICATION
ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER:
Jeffrey A. Flores
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Madison, Indiana 47250
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Geary, 20, Lexington, Indiana, was the top female in 37:12 — 13 seconds faster than second place finisher Kinley Kunkel, 19, Bedford, Kentucky, at 37:25. Lanie Nicolson, 19, Versailles, was third at 38:08.

Kunkel, another former local high school runner at Trimble County, was the Kentucky High School Athletic Association Class A state champion in the 3200 meters in 2023, before moving on to run for Western Kentucky University.

Geary said she didn't go into Saturday's Firecracker 10K with expectations she would win. "I just wanted to run. I just think it's fun. I love the Madison 10K. I tell everybody about it."

Geary said she never would have imagined winning the 10K when she was a distance runner at Southwestern High School. "I wasn't as fast" and didn't have any significant accomplishments. "I always loved it, but I didn't think I would take it as far as I have."

However, once she got to Georgetown College she got a lot more serious about running and her progress since has been steady. "I started taking it pretty

serious. When you take it more serious and you love it, you get a lot faster," she said, noting she was motivated by the success she achieved her freshman year at Georgetown. "I had a breakout season my first year in college, and once you start picking it up like that, you want to keep going, and see how much you can progress."

In May, Geary advanced to the NAIA Outdoor Nationals, placing in the top 12 in both the 5K and 10K events. Earlier in the year at the NAIA Women's Indoor Track and Field Championships, she earned All-American status in the 5,000 meter run.

Now, she's looking forward to this fall and enrolling at Millikin University where she will compete in her junior year. "I am excited for cross country and working with my team," Geary said.

As Madison Consolidated High School's cross country coach, Sandlin has been following Geary's success — and most other local runners — and praised her for what she's achieved through the work she has put into training, which Sandlin said is the reason for his success.

"There are tons of people who would be able to beat me," but it's all about

priorities in life, Sandlin said. "You've got to put in the work ... Everybody has big goals and aspirations. It is whether you're willing to take action on those, and put in the work it takes to achieve whatever goals."

Sandlin, 32, has a long history with the Madison 10K, going all the way back to when he was a standout runner at Scottsburg High School then a collegiate runner at Franklin College before becoming a teacher and coach at Switzerland County High School and now at Madison.

He said he has competed in the Madison 10K 16 times, winning half of those races including the two three-peats.

Sandlin's first wins were in 2013, 2014 and 2015 and his most recent were in 2022, 2023 and 2024. The other two wins were in 2017 and 2019.

At 32 Sandlin is still in his prime as a runner but that requires effort and training.

"As I get a little bit older, I'm just thankful that I can still go out and do this," Sandlin said, noting the late 20s and early 30s is typically the prime years for runners.

"I feel a lot of times people get out of high school or get out of college and they're done" with running but there's more they can do.

"To me, 32 is not that old."

Over the years, Sandlin has run very consistently in the Firecracker 10K. His first Madison win in 2013 was with a time of 31:44. His time this year was 31:51 — just three seconds slower than his winning time of 31:48 last year, and just 39 seconds slower than his best-ever time of 31:12 in 2015.

On Saturday, Sandlin finished 34 seconds ahead of runner-up Collin Zollman, 26, Scottsburg, with a time 32:25. Early in the race Sandlin, Zollman and Conner Watson, of Greenwood, were packed together but Sandlin began to pull slightly ahead on Wilson Avenue. Watson, 20, finished third at 33:26.

Sponsored by the Madison Area Run Club, there were 321 runners on Saturday — 161 male and 160 female — up 49 runners over the 2023 event in which the start was delayed due to rain. There were also 80 walkers on Saturday — up from 42 the previous year — with 59 females and 21 males.

The oldest runner was Wayne Mahoney, 80, Hanover. The walk, which is not a competitive event, was led by Steven R. Floyd, 69, of Bloomington, in 1:13.31. Jamie Lutus, 54, of Madison was the first female walker in 1:14.05.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
MADISON RAILROAD, City of Madison Port Authority, City of Madison, Indiana, a Municipal Corporation of Jefferson County, Indiana is seeking:
Sealed BIDS for the construction of "Madison Transload Track Construction Project, Madison, Madison Township, Jefferson County, Indiana", received by Madison Railroad, City of Madison Port Authority at its office located at 1121 W. JPG Woodfill Road, Building No. 216, Madison, Indiana 47250 until 9:00 a.m. EST, Monday, August 19, 2024, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud at the Madison Railroad Conference Room at the time and date stated above. Bids received after this time will be returned unopened. Each Bid must be enclosed in a sealed envelope bearing the title, **"Madison Transload Track Construction Project, Madison, Madison Township, Jefferson County, Indiana",** and the name and address of Bidder.
The scope of work consists of constructing 3,700 feet of new railroad track, installing four turnouts, and surfacing approximately one mile of track including mobilization and demobilization on the Madison Railroad in Madison, Indiana. The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS, consisting of Advertisement for Bids, Information for Bidders, BID, Agreement, GENERAL CONDITIONS, SUPPLEMENTARY CONDITIONS, NOTICE OF AWARD, NOTICE TO PROCEED, CHANGE ORDER, DRAWINGS, SPECIFICATIONS AND ADDENDA, may be examined at the following location: Madison Railroad, City of Madison Port Authority, 1121 West JPG Woodfill Road, Madison, Indiana 47250.
Copies of the Plans and Specifications are available by electronic format and may be obtained for download by contacting the office of Madison Railroad located at 1121 W. JPG Woodfill Road, Madison, Indiana 47250 and are also available for download at www.madisonrailroad.com at no cost to bidder. A paper bound set of Plans and Specifications will be available to bidders at the railroad office at a cost of \$500.00 per set, prepaid, and non-refundable. The OWNER reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any and all bids. Award will be made to the low, responsive, responsible bidder. No proposal may be withdrawn after the scheduled closing time for receipt and opening of bids for a period of at least sixty (60) days. A conditional or qualified bid will not be accepted. Each BIDDER must complete and submit with BID Indiana Form 96 inclusive of Non-Collusion Affidavit (furnished by Bidder) Standard Questionnaire and Financial Statement and other required documents as required by Indiana Law. Contractors and subcontractors are expected to comply and document compliance with the Buy American requirements in accordance with INDOT Section 106.01 (c) Standard Specifications, as defined in IC 5-16-8.
DATED this 3rd of July 2024.
MADISON RAILROAD, CITY OF MADISON PORT AUTHORITY 1121 WEST JPG WOODFILL ROAD MADISON, INDIANA 47250
TELEPHONE: 812-273-4248
By: **ADAM ROBILLARD,**
General Manager
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Clark rallies Fever past Liberty with first triple-double

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

INDIANAPOLIS — Caitlin Clark posted the first triple-double by a rookie in WNBA history to help rally Indiana to an 83-78 victory over New York on Saturday at Gainbridge Fieldhouse, snapping the Fever's nine-game losing streak to the Liberty.

Clark finished with 19 points, 13 assists and 12 rebounds for Indiana (9-13). The No. 1 pick in the WNBA draft was one rebound shy of a triple-double two games ago in an 88-82 road victory over the Phoenix Mercury.

"Obviously, it's really cool," Clark said. "My teammates have been finishing the ball really, really at a high rate. My assist numbers, that's because of them."

Indiana coach Christie Sides was impressed by Clark and the fact that the Fever outscored the Liberty by 12 in the final period.

"Caitlin with a triple-double, my gosh, that's incredible," she said after the game. "Holding New York to 16 points in the fourth quarter, that's huge for us. That's the No. 1 team in the league."

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Clark had 11 points in the first quarter, making 3 of 4 from 3-point range. She topped double figures in assists in the third quarter and passed the 10-rebound mark in the fourth.

Clark had a three-point play and Kelsey Mitchell followed with a 3-pointer to tie the game at 75 with 2:31 to go. Aliyah Boston scored off a steal by Mitchell to give Indiana a two-point lead and Lexie Hull's reverse layup increased the lead to 79-75 at the 1:24 mark.

New York's Sabrina Ionescu answered with a 3-pointer but missed one the next time down the court with a chance to give the Liberty the lead. Boston made two free throws with 17 seconds left and Mitchell hit two with 11 seconds remaining to wrap up the upset.

New York made only 10 of 42 attempts from beyond the arc.

"We defended well the whole game," Boston said. "Those last few minutes, especially those last few possessions, were great for us."

Boston scored 18 points on 8-for-12 shooting and had eight rebounds for the Fever. Mitchell scored 14, topping double figures for the ninth-straight game. NaLyssa Smith, the second overall pick in the 2022 draft, added 12 points and 11 rebounds for her fifth double-double this season.

Ionescu scored 22 to lead New York (17-4), which had won five straight games. Betnijah Laney-Hamilton finished with 20 points, making four 3-pointers. Breanna Stewart added 14 points, six rebounds and six assists. Jonquel Jones had 12 rebounds to go with six points and three steals.

Clark hit a 3-pointer and followed with a layup to spark Indiana to an 8-0

run to begin the game. She turned a steal into a 3-pointer to give the Fever their biggest lead at 24-12 with 3:04 left in the quarter. Laney-Hamilton hit a jumper with two seconds left as New York scored the final six points to get within six heading to the second period.

Clark's turnaround fade-away jumper gave the Fever a 31-20 lead with 7:48 left in the second quarter. Jones scored the final five points in a 12-0 run from there and the Liberty took their first lead. Smith answered with a layup to end a scoring drought that reached 5:06 and Indiana regained the lead.

Stewart, who averaged 22.7 points in three earlier wins this season over the Fever, made two free throws in the final minute to get New York within 39-38 at halftime.

Laney-Hamilton hit a go-ahead jumper and

Ionescu followed with a basket and a 3-pointer off a steal by Stewart to give New York a 57-50 lead with 4:39 left in the third quarter.

Laney-Hamilton hit a pull-up jumper with three seconds left and the Liberty took a 62-55 advantage into the final period.

Clark noted the Fever are learning not to wilt under pressure when things aren't going their way.

"I think the biggest difference has been when teams make runs, we don't crumble," Clark said.

"We found a way to stay resilient and kind of close the gap."

New York coach Sandy Brondello wasn't happy with the Liberty's mindset at the start.

"I didn't think we came out with the necessary urgency to compete," Brondello said.

"They're 6-4 in the last 10 games. They executed better than us down the stretch."

Indiana beat New York for the first time since posting a 92-86 road win on May 13, 2022. The Fever lead the all-time series 50-41.

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Bowman wraps up spot in NASCAR Cup playoffs

BY JAY COHEN
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CHICAGO — At long last, Alex Bowman got a win. And a spot in the NASCAR Cup Series playoffs.

So yeah, he was ready to party.

“We’re going to drink so much damn bourbon tonight, it’s going to be a bad deal,” a jubilant Bowman said. “I’m probably going to wake up naked on the bathroom floor again. That’s just part of this deal sometimes.”

Bowman held off Tyler Reddick on a rainy street course in downtown Chicago on Sunday, stopping an 80-race winless drought.

It was his first victory since Las Vegas in March 2022 and No. 8 for his career. He is the 12th Cup Series driver to win this year, leaving four remaining spots in the playoffs with six races left in the regular season.

After his Vegas victory two years ago, Bowman, 31, was sidelined by a concussion. He injured his back in a short-track accident in April 2023.

“You start to second-guess if you’re ever going to get a chance to win a race again,” he said.

Not anymore.

The Cup Series’ second street race in Chicago was stopped for more than 100 minutes because of rain, and NASCAR set a cutoff time of 8:20 p.m. CDT because of the fading sunlight. When Bowman crossed the start-finish line after that time, the white flag came out, followed by the checkered.

Reddick made a late charge, but he got into a wall while trying to run down Bowman. Ty Gibbs was third, followed by Joey Hand and Michael McDowell.

“I got the opportunity to run him down,” Reddick said. “Just obviously couldn’t get the job done. A clean lap was all I had to do and couldn’t even do that.”

Bowman closed it out on wet weather tires in his Hendrick Motorsports Chevrolet after pole-sitter Kyle Larson and Shane van Gisbergen were knocked out.

During the cool-down lap, Bowman was bumped into the wall by Bubba Wallace. Bowman spun out Wallace early in the race.

“I have to apologize again to the 23 guys,” Bowman said. “Just messed up, trying to get my windshield wiper on, missed a corner and ruined their day. I hate



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Alex Bowman is sprayed by teammates after winning a NASCAR Cup Series auto race, Sunday in Chicago.

that. I’m still embarrassed about it.”

Larson slammed into the tire barrier in Turn 6 on Lap 34, bringing out a caution. He was trying for his fourth win of the season in his 350th career Cup Series start.

“As soon as I hit the

brakes, I knew I was in trouble,” said Larson, who has an 11-point lead over Chase Elliott in the driver standings.

Van Gisbergen was clipped by Chase Briscoe going into Turn 6 on Lap 25. Briscoe slid into a tire barrier, but van Gisbergen

crashed into the temporary wall — causing heavy damage to the right side of his Kaulig Racing Chevrolet.

“I just sort of turned in. It looked pretty good and then just got smacked by someone,” van Gisbergen said. “It’s gutting.”

Shortly after the wreck, the race was stopped to give NASCAR time to clear standing water from the makeshift track. The drivers returned to their cars about an hour later, but the delay continued when another cell passed over the course.

Gibbs was in front when the race resumed, followed by Christopher Bell and Larson.

“It’s really fun. I feel like it’s kind of like a dirt track, honestly,” Gibbs said about the wet conditions. “Pick and choose your lines, see what lane is drying up and

is faster. You have to look around, which makes it fun as we don’t get to do that a lot.”

Van Gisbergen raced to a career-altering victory last year in Chicago when he became the first driver to win his Cup Series debut since Johnny Rutherford in the second qualifying race at Daytona in 1963.

The 35-year-old New Zealand native also won Saturday’s Xfinity Series race on the tricky 12-turn, 2.2-mile course.

Van Gisbergen won the first stage Sunday shortly before he was knocked out.

“We were able to lead and I felt like I was driving well with it,” he said, “so yeah, it’s a shame to be out so early.”

“It’s a shame we couldn’t have a proper crack at it at the end.”

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